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WARRANTS ARE SERVED TODAY.

Twenty-Seven Connellsville Merchants Have Been Prosecuted

FOR CIGARETTE SELLING

Three From Dunbar and Two Each From Dawson and Vanderbilt Are Caught in the Net—Names of the Defendants Are Not Divulged.

Warrants are being served today on the sellers of cigarettes and tobacco to minors and the harvest in this section is large. In all County Detective Frank McLaughlin swore out 34 informations before Justice of the Peace Robert McLaughlin of Dunbar township. Of this number 27 were located in Connellsville, three in Dunbar and two each in Dawson and Vanderbilt. Before a Uniontown justice McLaughlin prosecuted five Masontown offenders and one from Footedale.

The hearings before Squire Robert McLaughlin are set for January 12. The defendants are given every opportunity to give bail for the hearing or for court.

It is stated that while a number of foreigners are included in the list of defendants, Americans are also numerous and have frequently violated the law. Some of the leading merchants here have been caught in the net.

Constables William Roland, B. Rottler, A. C. Duncan, Jacob Harshman and C. W. Betts are serving the warrants.

Constable William Roland served a number of warrants on Connellsville people this morning for selling cigarettes and the papers. At noon the following appeared before Squire W. P. Clark and furnished $100 bail apiece for a hearing before Squire Robert McLaughlin of Dunbar township, before whom County Detective Frank McLaughlin made the informations:

Luther B. Collins, the Pittsburg street druggist; Lloyd Sparks and George Adams, of Sparks and Adams, the Pittsburg street grocers; F. B. Lateman, confectionery and fruit dealer, of South Pittsburg street; Ellsworth Thomas and James A. Brown, of Thomas and Brown, the Main street stationery store, proprietors and their clerk, Miss Bessie McGill.

Alebrando Nartini, clerk for Tony Giclioti, who runs a fruit store on South Pittsburg street near the Cunningham flats was lodged in the lockup by Constable Rowland as he was unable to furnish bail.

Before Squire P. M. Buttermore of the West Side, appeared H. L. Piersol, the grocer, whose store is located on Seventh and Main streets, West Side. All of the hearings have been set for next Thursday at different hours.

Miss Bittner and C. E. Noonan Wed

The marriage of Miss Etta Bittner and C. E. Noonan will take place this evening at 5 o'clock. Miss Bittner will be attended by Miss Lena Hetzel as maid of honor, while Thomas Adams will serve as best man. Immediately after the ceremony they will leave for Danville, Ill., where they will make their future home. Miss Bittner is a daughter of Mrs. Savilla Bittner of Connellsville. Mr. Noonan is a son of Mrs. Carrie Noonan. Both are well and favorably known in Connellsville.

Economy Plan of Administration

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(Special.) A statement intended to prove the success of the "economy" policy of the administration was issued today by Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrew. A saving of $1,611,590 in the treasury department has thus far been effected, the statement declares, and plans are now in contemplation which will more than double that amount.

Deny Attempt On King's Life

United Press Telegram.

MADRID, Jan. 7.—An official denial was issued today to the story that an attempt upon the life of King Alfonso was made yesterday at Malaga, where the King and his suite stopped briefly while enroute to Melilla.

King Alfonso reached Melilla today aboard the royal yacht Giralda.

Mrs. George May Ill.

Mrs. George May is very ill at her home on South Pittsburg street.

JOHN O. SCHENK NOW BELIEVES WIFE GUILTY.

Wheeling Packer Stands Behind Prosecution for Attempted Poisoning But Will Not Testify.

United Press Telegram.

WHEELING, Jan. 7.—All doubt as to the attitude of John O. Schenk, the millionaire Wheeling packer will take at the trial Monday of his wife, charged with poisoning him, was cleared today when Schenk gave the United Press the first interview since the arrest of his wife.

Schenk, too nervous to see the correspondent personally, talked through his sister, Mrs. Mary Doepkin, at whose home he is staying.

"I must have been blind not to have seen what Laura was trying to do," he said.

Any report that the prosecution will not have Schenk's full approval is without foundation. He is convinced of his wife's guilt. He will not go on the stand unless present plans are radically changed. His utter ignorance of the alleged administration of arsenic through his drink and medicine eliminates any value of his testimony in the event the defense should consent to his going on the stand.

In response to a request for a statement, Mrs. Schenk, from her cell in the Ohio county jail, sent this curt reply through her attorney, J. J. P. O'Brien.

"Before God I am not guilty."

Prosecutor Handlin and Mrs. Schenk's attorneys today were still unwilling to outline the points of their respective cases.

Carnegie Trust Company Is Closed

United Press Telegram.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The Carnegie Trust Company was closed today by State Superintendent of Banks Cheney. The company was chartered in 1907 and had a paid capital of $1,500,000, surplus and undivided dividends $737,000 and gross deposits of about $8,900,000. John B Reichmann was President.

The late Charles C. Dickinson whose mysterious death on May 21, 1910, following a gas explosion while witnessing a chemical demonstration in Scranton, Pa., has never been solved, was one of the principal movers in founding the Carnegie Trust Company which opened for business January 1, 1907.

Officials of the closed institution stated that there had been a quiet run on it for more than a week and that this had used up all of the available ready resources so the State banking department was called on to interfere to protect the rank and file of the depositors.

O. H. Cheney, head of the State Banking Department, issued the following statement today:

"Superintendent of Banks has taken charge of the property and business of the Carnegie Trust Company. The examination of the affairs of this company has caused the Superintendent to conclude that it is in an unsound condition to transact business and that it is not safe for it to continue. The examination is not yet complete and no further statement can be made at this time."

Uncrowned Queen Turns Manuel Down

United Press Telegram.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The gossip leaked out today that Manuel, once King of Portugal, has been turned down by his uncrowned queen, Mlle. Gaby Deslys. He was attending the theatre with Marquis Several, former Portuguese minister to London. Gaby unbeknownent came to London to be treated by a throat specialist and happened to visit the show the same night.

Manuel begged his wife to take him back, but she coldly answered no, turned her back on him and departed. She returned to France where it is said she cares no more for Manuel as his power and money are gone.

Court Officers Check Up Accounts

United Press Telegram.

WEST UNION, O., Jan. 7.—The special Grand Jury probing the wholesale vote selling in Adams county will take another recess tonight until next Wednesday morning, according to announcement of Judge Blair today.

This is for the purpose of permitting the overworked court officers to check up their accounts. The Grand Jury today returned 100 new indictments and 81 pleas of guilty were entered from yesterday.

Talk Reciprocity.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(Special.) With the visit of Minister of Finance Fielding and Minister of Customs Patterson of the Canadian cabinet to Secretary of State Knox today the preliminaries in the tariff negotiations looking to reciprocity began.

Annual Election of Officers.

The annual election of officers for the ensuing year will take place at the regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters to be held next Thursday afternoon in Markell hall.

Visitors From Perry.

H. O. Markle and wife of Perryopolis were visiting Mr. Markle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Markle of Sixth street, West Side, on Friday.

New Race Track for Uniontown

With the intention of building a race track and holding speed contests Uniontown men have secured a tract of 30 acres of ground in Coolspring hollow and plans are being made for developing it for use the coming summer.

Senator W. E. Crow is at the head of the movement and among the others interested are Alf Ansell, Alex McDowell, Sheriff P. A. Johns, C. A. Woodward, Springer Todd, R. F. Sample, W. H. Hellen and H. W. Morse. The late John R. Carothers had agreed recently to take $1,000 worth of stock.

Purchase of the ground was made from William Beatty by Alf Ansell who will deed it to the association after stock is issued. It is expected to form an organization called the Uniontown Driving Association.

It is estimated that between $18,000 and $20,000 will be needed to carry out the plans. The ground lays well naturally and only about three feet of grading will be necessary. A grand stand, about 100 stables and a house where persons can live who look after the property will be built.

Practically all the horsemen who have been approached have taken some stock and about $6,500 has already been subscribed. Race lovers have long wished for such a place as this where they can develop their horses and also hold contests for the entertainment of the public.

Yale Strong Man Mean to His Wife

United Press Telegram.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Sensational charges that Charles A. Carner, former Yale "strong man," invited his wife to die, which were aired here in Superior Judge Cooper's court today are expected to result in a divorce for Carner's wife. Mrs. Carner testified that in 1909 in New York when she told her husband she would die if he did not get a physician for her he opened the window of a hotel where they were stopping and told her to jump out and kill herself.

Nathaniel Ledlie, her brother-in-law, testified "After Carner abandoned his wife on my doorstep I ask him if he wasn't going to support her. He answered, 'No I am not. Why don't you throw her out into the street the same as I did. Starve her.'"

MURPHY FOR BOYD'S PLACE.

Lieutenant-Governor Being Talked of for Railroad Commissioner.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Considerable gossip was heard on Capitol Hill yesterday connecting the name of Lieut-Gov. Robert S. Murphy with a possible appointment as railroad commissioner.

The term of John Y. Boyd expired on Monday and he will not be reappointed, having declined the honor at the hands of Gov. Edwin S. Stuart. Lieut-Gov. Murphy is a resident of Johnstown, and it is said a number of his friends have become active in his behalf. His term ends on January 17.

NEW GOVERNMENT.

Is Given to the World's Smallest Principality.

MONTE CARLO, Jan. 7.—(Special.) Prince Albert of Monaco today issued a proclamation announcing a constitutional government for Monaco, the world's smallest principality. The announcement caused consideration among the residents of Monte Carlo as it probably foreshadows the abolition of gambling.

Heat is Now On.

The patients and nurses of the Cottage State hospital are no longer suffering from the cold. The furnace was relired yesterday afternoon and today the heating apparatus is as good as ever. No coals have yet developed from the lack of heat.

LOCAL NIMRODS FAVOR MEASURE.

Approve Proposed Bill Requiring Licenses for All Hunters.

TO PROPOGATE THE GAME

Believe Funds Raised Through This Method Should Be Used to Stock the Forests and the Fields and Maintain Efficient Wardens.

Local sportsmen are in favor of the proposed bill that may be submitted to the Legislature requiring all hunters to take out a license costing $1. The only objection that has been raised among the sportsmen here is that the fee is too low. Either $2 or $5 would be preferred, the nimrods of Connellsville say.

The sportsmen believe the funds collected from this source should be expended towards the protection and propogation of game in the State, stocking the streams with fish and maintaining an efficient force of game wardens.

The bill has been suggested for the purpose of eliminating to a great degress the foreigner and his destructive gun. Hunters claim the foreigners are ruthless destroyers of game of all kind and approve of any measure to restrict their activities to the proper bounds.

Already the laws of the state are such that only naturalized foreigners are permitted to carry firearms of any kind but this has not had the desired effect from the point of view of native hunters.

Ship Canal Men Have Organized

United Press Telegram.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 7.—The first meeting of the Executive Committee of the Lake Erie & Ohio River Canal Association was held today in the assembly room of the Oliver building, Mayor Magee presiding.

William Flinn was elected Vice President, Burd S. Patterson Secretary and H. M. Landis Treasurer. The executive committee, which is almost complete, is to consist of ten members from Allegheny county and one member from each of the Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and Northern West Virginia counties that will be benefitted by the construction of the canal.

Real Estate Deal on the West Side

George W. Wilhelm, the West Side real estate man, yesterday sold the lot on Fourth street belonging to Mrs. David Fornwalt of Braddock, to John Hoop. The new owner expects to erect a blacksmith shop on the land. Mrs. Fornwalt bought the lot 12 years ago.

Hoop, until recently, was in business in Eighth street, West Side, but sold his property to Benjamin Mogara on last Saturday. Mogara will continue the blacksmith business of Hoop at that location and will rebuild the old house, on an adjoining lot included in the purchase, into store rooms.

Boom Coming in Tin Plate

United Press Telegram.

SHARON, Jan. 7.—Because of the big demand for tin plate and the general improvement in business conditions the steel trust today announced that it will next Monday put a majority of its tin mills on full capacity, affording employment to 10,000 more men.

The Jones & Laughlin company will start its Woodlawn tin plate mill on double shift Monday. Three thousand more men will be taken on.

May Enter O. and P.

Uniontown according to the story of a morning newspaper has an opportunity of entering the Ohio and Pennsylvania League, taking the place of New Castle which has dropped out.

Meeting of Culture Club.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Woman's Culture Club will be held Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Dr. Catherine Wakefield will read a paper on "Social Hygiene."

Judge McConnell Taken Ill.

Judge A. D. McConnell of Greensburg, was taken suddenly ill yesterday and is confined to his home.

PENNSY WILL SAVE TIME ELSEWHERE THAN HERE.

Failure of West Side Business Men to Sympathize With Plan Causes Its Abandonment.

If the Pennsylvania railroad decides to cut down the running time of its morning northbound train on the Southwest branch it will be elsewhere than Connellsville. The suggestion was made that the West Side stop for this early train to Pittsburg be eliminated and to this end an official of the company questioned the business men of the West Side regarding the plan.

The business men interviewed expressed their disapproval of the plan in no uncertain terms with the result that the official's recommendation was against the proposition.

Agent R. B. Blair of the Pennsylvania railroad was then notified that the proposition had been abandoned and the West Side men were notified to that effect. On the West Side it is claimed the station there gives more business to the Pennsylvania than many of the smaller stations between Fairchance and Greensburg where stops are now made by that train.

Mutineers Have Gone Off Quick

United Press Telegram.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 7.—Charges that the governments suppressing the facts regarding the execution of the active participants in the recent mutinies on Brazilian warships are heard on every hand today. The sensational story in the Journal de Commercio that 45 of the mutineers have suddenly and mysteriously died since the initial outbreak on November 22 is given absolutely no credence.

It is interpreted as a lame attempt by the government to explain the absence of the mutineers who are believed to have been summarily executed.

The newspaper story says that 26 of the mutineers are reported to have died of sunstroke while repairing the fortress on Cobras island and 18 others to have been accidentally suffocated in their cells in the government prison. It declares that Joas Candido, the negro leader of the first mutiny, died in prison of gangrene.

Library Report for Last Month

Miss Elizabeth V. Clark, librarian at the Carnegie Free Library this morning submitted her report for the month of December. The total circulation of books for the month was 3,860; of these 2,584 were borrowed in the adult department, the fiction circulation being 2,006.

In the juvenile department 1,276 were circulated 759 of the number being fiction. The magazine circulation for the month was 113, while the periodical room was used by 281 persons. The reference room attendance numbered 115 and the story hour attendance 415. There were 14 new registrations.

Another Victim in Garment Strike

United Press Telegram.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The sixth victime of the garment workers strike here which has lasted for five months was counted today when Mrs. Rose Seigeltner died from starvation, leaving two children.

The woman formerly did piece work for the large garment workers but the strike cut off this work. She was apparently ignorant of the relief work that is being carried on among the strikers and had not asked for help.

Magnate Shot During Dispute

United Press Telegram.

LIMA, O., Jan. 7.—J. D. S. Neely, millionaire gas magnate, banker, 33rd degree Mason and fraction magnate, was shot and killed in a dispute over a gas line at Caney, Kansas, early today, according to word received at his home here.

He was the most prominent business man of Lima and President of the Lima Trust Co.

KEENAN RE-ELECTED

Chairman of Democratic County Committee in Westmoreland.

Friday afternoon the Democratic committeemen of Westmoreland county, held a meeting and elected officers for the year and passed resolutions. Attorney J. Hilary Keenan called the meeting to order and when Secretary J. F. Hebrank called the roll over two hundred were present to report. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: J. Hilary Keenan, county chairman; J. R. Spiegel, treasurer. After the election addresses were made by J. Hilary Keenan, J. Q. Truxal Silas A. Kline and J. B. Keenan.

Rain or Snow.

Unsettled with local rains or snow tonight and Sunday. Slightly warmer tonight is the noon weather bulletin.

A Farewell to Rev. Watson

Rev. C. M. Watson and family, who leave Tuesday for their new home at Norfolk, Va., were entertained at a farewell reception last evening in the church. The church was filled with members and friends of the congregation all of whom regret to see Rev. Watson and his family leave Connellsville. J. I. Gans presided and introduced Rev. J. Walter Carpenter, pastor of the Christian church in Uniontown. Rev. Carpenter delivered the principal address of the evening. He spoke especially of the excellent work done by Rev. Watson since coming to Connellsville and wished him success in his new charge. The remainder of the program was as follows: Selection by Kiferle's orchestra; prayer, Rev. McClintock of Vanderbilt; piano solo, Miss Pearl Keck; reading, Miss Brady; vocal solo, Miss Elizabeth Mae Brown; violin solo, Miss Hilda Soisson; address, J. R. Balsley; vocal solo, Mrs. Ross Lytle; vocal duet, Miss Florence Cavender and Robert Werner; reading, Miss Brady; vocal solo, Robert Werner; vocal solo, John Davis; Rev. Watson gave a short talk in which he thanked the members of the congregation for the kind manner in which they had treated him and his family. The program was well selected and each number was ably rendered. A reception followed and all present wished Rev. Watson great success in his new work.

Rev. Watson recently accepted a call as pastor of the Christian church at Norfolk. He is one of the oldest and most prominent ministers of Connellsville and was a member of the Ministerial Association.

Kept in Hospital; Sues the Company

United Press Telegram

SCRANTON, Jan. 7.—Alleging that after an injury sustained in the plant of the American Car and Foundry Company at Berwick he was detained against his will in a private hospital maintained by the company and subjected to "wrongful, improper and negligent treatment," David Allegar of Berwick and his attorney, Paul J. Sherwood, commenced suit today to recover $10,000 damages.

A similar suit filed at the same time in the Clerk's office of the United States District Court names Alfred W. Hiney of Berwick plaintiff, who seeks to recover $5,000 for the death of his son, John A. Hiney, due to "wrongful, improper and negligent treatment" on the part of physicians employed by the defendant company, Hiney having been committed to the private hospital against his wishes and the expressed protests of his parents.

"Bill" Kelly Was Far, Far From Home

Sleepers from Baltimore, Md., to Portland, Ore., spent the night in the police station and were discharged this morning. The Portland man was headed for Grafton, W. Va. Several were headed for home, especially Bill Kelly of Butte, Mont. Bill admitted he was a long ways from base but hoped to get back to the copper country before spring.

Two trespassers who beat their way from McKeesport to this point on a fast freight were discharged this morning. They were warned to leave town and stay off the trains.

AT HALF MAST

In Washington Today Out of Respect to Late Senator Elkins.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(Special.) Flags at all military posts were at half-mast today in honor of the late Senator S. P. Elkins for whom funeral services were held today at his home in Elkins, W. Va. Senator Elkins was Secretary of War during the Harrison administration.

Miss Santmyer Ill.

Miss Ida Bell Santmyer is seriously ill at her home on Murphy avenue.

POLICE SEARCH FOR LOST BOY.

William F. Beitler's Family Thrown Into Panic Over Disappearance.

LAD FINALLY CAME HOME

Left After Supper and Did Not Return Until Early Morning Hour—Had Been at the Tabernacle, Only Place Not Visited by Searchers.

A missing boy caused the night force of the police department to get busy for several hours but the missing youngster returned home sometime after midnight. It was after 10 o'clock that the police were notified of the absence from home of little Ernest Beitler, aged 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Beitler. Mr. Beitler is manager of the Lyric theatre.

The police at once organized a search for the youngster. It was joined in by others, especially musicians who are acquainted with Mr. Beitler. Practically the only place that was not visited sheltered the lad until he returned home during the early hours of morning. That was the Tabernacle.

The lad was home for supper but did not return during the evening. Mrs. Beitler was not alarmed until her husband returned from his nickelodeon without the lad. He had not seen the youngster.

The police were notified. The Beitlers were in a state verging on panic. The hospital was called and morgues visited, but no trace of the youngster could be found. The other moving picture houses did not give forth the youngster; neither did the Soisson nor the Armory, where the regular Friday night dance was in progress.

The lad returned after midnight saying he had been at the Tabernacle during the evening. The services there did not disband until a late hour and the youngster stuck for the entire meeting.

Eagle Pool Tournament On

The annual Eagle pool tournament is on for the 1911 season. The games are being looked forward to by the local players, and the interest in them is even stronger than it was last year.

Mike Roland's team is attempting to make up for their loss of victory last year when Cooper Patterson's team walked off with the prize. Two games are played a week by each player and the dates set as the time approaches. Each player plays each member of the opposing team nine racks of 15 balls each, a total of 135 balls.

Those in the Roland aggregation are: Charles Trump, Edgar Cypher, E. P. Keslar, John Dean, W. J. Gobright, L. P. Keslar, Charles Triplett, M. R. Urbach and W. E. Kelly.

The Patterson team is composed of Charles Keyes, H. A. Chalfant, Wash Herd, Charles Smith, John Lowe, James Wilkens, George Snyder, Jr., Charles Spence and A. F. May.

Star Witness Under Arrest

United Press Telegram.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 7.—Edward L. Wayman, chief government witness in the suits at Detroit against the bath tub trust, was arrested at his offices here today by U. S. Deputy Marshals and was held in $10,000 bond for his appearance in Detroit on March 6.

The arrest followed the receipt by U. S. Attorney Jordon of a telegram from the Department of Justice at Washington which stated that U. S. Attorney Watson at Detroit had made affidavit that he feared Wayman would "absent himself from the jurisdiction of the court."

Gave An Oyster Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dwyer of Morrell, gave an oyster supper at their home last evening in honor of their son, Eugene. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. John McGarrity of Trotter; James and Sallie Tag, Tim Forkin, Miss Mary Higgins, Miss Godfrey and Miss Lou Smith of Dunbar. About 35 partook of the oysters and all spent a very enjoyable evening.

Annual Meeting.

The annual business meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church will be held this evening in the church. The annual election of trustees will take place and other business of importance will be transacted.

TOBACCO CASES IN SUPREME COURT.

Arguments Were Started Yesterday in Famous Suits.

MEANS MUCH TO TRUSTS

Affects the American Tobacco Company and Its Subsidiary Companies Which Have Paid Millions in Dividents to Stockholders.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Jan 6.—Before the Court of Last Resort today began the final supreme legal battle on which hangs the fate of the American Tobacco Company and its subsidiary corporations.

Some of the highest-priced lawyers in the country today began their arguments before the Supreme Court of the United States for and against the Sherman anti-trust law and that many-tentacled Octopus, the Tobacco Trust. On the cogency of their presentation of the evidence depends either the life or death of a vast combine of corporations constituting a business with over $1000,000,00 of invested capital, and, on the one hand, a strengthening of the Sherman anti-trust law, or on the other hand, an emasculation of that statute which will nullify the Government's strongest weapon against corporate aggression.

The setting for this legal Waterloo was the small, prim chamber of the Court, and the audience of nine Justices and a closely packed crowd of lawyers, business men and visitors. Then generals in command of the opposing forces were Attorney General Wickersham and Special Attorney J. C. McReynolds for the Government, and attorneys John G. Johnson and William B. Hornblower for the Tobacco Trust. To Johnson, as chief counsel for the appellant, fell the duty of making the opening argument, and his legal defense of the accused corporations consumed by far the greater part of the day.

As was the case last year, when the same case was argued, the Supreme Court determined to permit attorneys three whole days in which to present their arguments. Usually the court limits the hearing of a case to at least two hours, divided equally between opposing counsels, but in view of the magnitude of the questions involved and the intricacies of the litigation, it was thought best to grant almost unlimited time for legal statements.

Piled up on the bench in front of each of the Justices of the Highest Court was a formidable array of documents—matte evidence of the complexity of the case. The record alone in the tobacco case fills two fat volumes of 300 pages each. The Government's brief is spread over 320 closely printed pages; the two briefs of attorneys for the Tobacco Trust is compressed into two bulky volumes of about 300 pages each. A copy of each of these documents was on the desk of each justice. In addition each had a scratch pad, and as the arguments proceeded, occasionally jotted down citations, notes, and memoranda.

The case which is now before the Supreme Court had its inception in a bill of complaint filed on July 10, 1907, before the Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York. It was charged that the American Tobacco Company had gradually acquired a monopoly of the tobacco business in the United States, by a series of bold buccaneering exploits, had stifled competition, and defied independent dealers through a network of subsidiary companies, operating as "independent" dealers.

It was in 1890, the Government claims, that the idea of controlling the tobacco industry first originated with the heads of several big manufacturing companies—James B. and Benjamin N. Duke, Thomas F. Ryan, Pierre Lorillard, R. L. Patterson, P. A. B. Widener, and others—and the American Tobacco Company was shortly thereafter organized, the stock being divided between the magnates. From time to time, the parent company absorbed in its maw scores of other competing firms, new subsidiary corporations were formed, and the Octopus tightened its hold. In November, 1901, a retail outlet for the "trust" products was secured through absorption of the United Cigar Stores.

All through this period of growth, unfair competitive methods were alleged. The counts which the Government makes include the marketing of "trust" products under the guise of "independent" goods; imitation of standard independent brands; manipulation of markets to suit their own purposes; purchasing of trade marks and cheapening of brands, and other forms of cheating the public. It was also charged that the combine organized corporations for the manufacture of tin foil, boxes, paper, licorice, further to tighten its grip on the tobacco business. Companies operating in practically every field of the business are parties to the suit.

Nearly a year was consumed in the taking of testimony in the case, and it was not until November 7, 1909, that the Circuit Court rendered an opinion sustaining the Sherman law and partially upholding the Government's contentions. But dismissed the bill against the United Cigar Stores, the Imperial Tobacco Company, the British American Tobacco Company, and others. The parent company, and several score of the subsidiary companies were adjudged a conspiracy in restraint of trade and ordered dissolved. In addition, several of the subsidiary corporations were individually declared to be trusts.

The Government and the Trust were both dissatisfied with the decision, the Government desiring a complete victory, and the tobacco company a complete exoneration. Both appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States.

The defense made by Attorney Johnson for the Trust was that there is no actual combine and that the company has arrived at its present state of power through the exercise of acute business judgment and the fact that it had enormous capital behind it. He particularly attacked the decision of the lower court restraining the parent company from voting the stock it holds in the subsidiary corporations.

BIG UNIONTOWN STORE REDUCING STOCK.

The Molan's Furniture Company Decides Upon Immediate Action.

Will Mean the Disposition of at Least Fifteen Thousand Dollars of Their Magnificent Stock For Half Its Value.

The Molans Furniture Company of Uniontown, occupying four immense floors on West Main street opposite the Titlow Hotel, after a conference of the members of the firm have decided upon a radical reduction of their large stock, and will place on sale Wednesday, January 11th, everything contained in their building, which includes besides their magnificent stock of furniture a large and varied stock of hardware, stoves, carpets, queensware, and kitchenware and prices will be attached to each article, and the firm states that each article will be reduced to its original cost or even below, in order that they may quickly be sold, and the stock reduced as decided upon.

The firm will mail their catalogue sheets illustrating every article to any one writing for it.

Card Party for a Western Man

W. H. Miner, a well known local dairyman, gave a large and enjoyable card party last evening at his home at Gilmore's mill in honor of Elmer Gallentine of Decatur county, Kansas, who is here on a visit to relatives. Mr. Gallentine is a well known stock dealer of Decatur county. Other amusements were provided for those who cared not to play cards. Several musical selections were rendered by Chas. and Edward Leichliter. At a late hour an elaborate lunch was served.

The guests were Samuel Mesamore, King Borgus of Tanyard Hollow; C. C. Leichliter, Edward Leichliter, Levi Leichliter, Hampton Leichliter and A. J. Tannehill of Scottdale; Warren Minor of Everson; eGeorge Monor of Youngwood, and Harry Leichliter of Youngwood; Cleveland Switzer of Normalville, and Robert Pollock of Star Junction.

GAS EXPLOSION.

Injures Three People When Butcher Seeks Leak With Match.

MONONGAHELA, Jan. 7.—Searching for escaping gas with a lighted match resulted here yesterday morning in perhaps fatal injury to one man and serious injury to two other persons. The injured:

Louis Parenti, aged 25, meat market proprietor, 922 Main street; in Memorial hospital; Mrs. L. Parenti, aged 26, wife of Louis Parenti; right arm fractured and injuries to spine and body; at home; Five-month old Parenti baby, bruised on body.

Parenti lives at the rear of his meat market. Yesterday morning he noticed an odor of gas and decided to investigate. At 11 o'clock, followed by his wife, who was carrying the baby, he ascended to the second floor and struck a match. An explosion was followed by a sheet of flame. The roof of the building was blown off and the windows shattered. Mrs. Parenti was hurled down stairs

UNHAPPINESS DISPELLED.

Men and Women Unanimous About It.

Many women weep and wail and refuse to be comforted because their once magnificent tresses have become thin and faded. Many men incline to profanity because the flies bite through the thin thatch on their craniums. It will be good news to the miserable of both sexes, to learn that Newbro's Herpicide has been placed upon the market. This is the new scalp germicide, and antiseptic that acts by destroying the germ or microbe that is the underlying cause of all hair destruction. Herpicide is a new preparation, made after a new formula on an entirely new principle. Anyone who has tried it will testify as to its worth. Try it yourself and be convinced. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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Miss Dougherty Ill.

Miss Katherine Dougherty is confined to her home on the South Side with an attack of grippe.

Ambassador Whitelaw Reid and Family Bound Home to Spend Long Vacation in California.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—After several years' absence Whitelaw Reid, American ambassador to Great Britain, with Mrs. Reid, has arrived on the steamer Cracnia for a two months' vacation. Ogden Reid, their son, accompanies them. They will be joined in a few days by their daughter, Mrs. John Hubert Ward, who was Miss Jean Reid. It is announced that after a visit in New York the ambassador and his family will go to California, where they will spend the greater part of their vacation in the sunny southern clime.



Champion Gotch to be Married

United Press Special.

HUMBOLDT, Iowa, Jan. 7.—On January 11, at 5 P. M., a quiet little wedding will be held here. That is, it will be a quiet affair in Humboldt, but it will arouse quite a stir throughout the sporting world for on that day Frank Alvin Gotch, the greatest wrestler the world has ever known, will take unto himself a bride in the person of Miss Gladys Oestrich, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Oestrich of this quaint little Iowa town which has been made famous through the wrestling of Champion Gotch. Both Frank Gotch and Miss Oestrich were born and raised here.

Gotch was 33 years old last April, while Miss Oestrich is just turning 20. The champion wrestler is worth $250,000. Among other things he owns 1,200 acres of excellent Iowa farm land near Humboldt. He has a beautiful home on the farm and another in town.

Gotch has been an awfully busy man for the past 10 years. He has been constantly before the public. He spent ten out of every twelve months yearly in becoming a professional wrestler, traveling around the country, meeting all comers. Gotch was too busy to bother with love affairs in these days, although a number of enterprising theatrical press agents wrote false stories about his being engaged to various show girls. These stories became so numerous that the king of wrestlers finally refused to give them the dignity of a denial.

Miss Oestrich is a sweet little miss. Her father is a rich man, although her head has not been turned by money. She says that Humboldt and her friends are good enough for her. She can cook, keep house, sew, is a talented musician and is not afraid of work.

Gotch may wrestle George Hackenschmidt again if the "Lion" forces him into a match but if Huck leaves him alone the Iowa farmer will forsake the mat forever, a promise he has made to his fiancee.

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Ladies Aid Elect Officers

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Work on Race street. Owing to the absence of Mrs. Abram Stauffer, the President, Mrs. J. D Percy, Vice President, presided. The annual election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Joseph Dixon; Vice President, Mrs. F. C. Rose; Secretary, Mrs. S M. Jeffries; Assistant Secretary, Mrs H. C. Humbert; Treasurer, Mrs. S E. Jones Rev. E. A. E. Palmquist was present and gave a short address. The attendance was unusually large and the meeting was the best held for some time. During a delightful social session a dainty luncheon was served Miss Belle McDonald of Beaver Falls, a sister of the hostess, was an out of town guest.

MISSION BAND.

Elect Officers at the Home of William Hanlon.

The Boys' Mission Band of the First Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon at the home of William Hanlon on South Eighth street, West Side. Eight members were present. Roger Ward was elected president, Robert Smith, secretary; William Hanlon, treasurer, Mrs. L. F. Zahniser, leader. Mrs. A. P. Freed is the retiring leader. A social session was held and refreshments were served.

James Blick Dead.

James Blick, aged 65, well known as a former inspector of mines in the Seventh bituminous coal district, died Wednesday in the family home, 198 South Linwood street, Crafton, after a illness of a month. He was born in Berkley, Gloucestershire, England, but came to this country in 1880. He had been a resident of Crafton for 22 years. For 20 years Mr. Blick was inspector of mines, but retired eight years ago.

"A Texas Ranger."

A western play with strong sensational scenes at the Soisson Theatre Tuesday night, January 10. Seats now on sale.

PERSONALS.

Misses Sara and Jane Ray of the West Side, are shopping in Pittsburg today.

Miss Elsie Shaffer of Butler, Pa., has returned home after a visit with Miss Mary O'Hara.

P. R. Yoder and family are moving into their home on South Ninth street, Greenwood

Miss Josephine Rush has returned home from Pittsburg where she was the guest of Miss Gertrude McHugh.

Mrs. I. T. Huff of Humbert was visiting friends in town Friday.

S. E. Frock of Uniontown, was in town Thursday on business.

Mrs. Joseph Riling was the guest of friends in Uniontown yesterday.

Mrs. A. P. Noon of Conemaugh, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. H Noon of South Pittsburg street.

H. F. Barnes was here from Uniontown Thursday on business.

Mrs. Rose Brooks of McKeesport, and Miss Lida Victor of Dutchanee, left yesterday for Oklahoma to visit the former's daughter, Miss Soles

Mr. and Mrs J. L. Tuttle of Ohiopyle, were in town Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Cohen of Pittsburg, returned home this afternoon, after a visit with Mrs. Florence Goldsmith

Mrs. W. H Knolle of Pittsburg, is here on a visit to relatives.

Mr and Mrs. H. P. Snyder are in Pittsburg today.

Miss Eliza DuShane went to Pittsburg this morning to visit relatives.

Mrs. Harry Shafer is visiting friends in Pittsburg today

The Bazaar now taking stock and will start January 12th with our annual Clearance Sale. Wait for the bargains

Mr and Mrs John Hoop, Jr., and small son, John, of Beaver Falls, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hoop Sr., of the West Side.

Oliver Goldsmith and Fred Opperman are in Pittsburg today.

Miss Mary O'Hara has returned to St. Joseph's College at Sexton Hill, after spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Mary O'Hara

Miss Valentine of Cumberland, is the guest of Mrs Roy Hoover of Haas avenue

A. A Wetherell, who fell and dislocated his hip several weeks ago, is still confined to his home

William McCashlin returned to St. Vincent's College at Latrobe yesterday afternoon after spending his Christmas vacation at his home here

Miss Sarah Torrance of Lancaster, is the guest of Captain and Mrs Edmund Dunn

Miss Gertrude Hutchinson of Mill Run visit d her sister, Mrs. Nellie H Showman, yesterday.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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Smith House.

W. A. Gall, A. C. Pierce, W. P. Malin H. C. Hopkins, Pittsburg; D. T. Brashear, C. L. Parson, Uniontown; J. Anchilla, Berlin, C. F. Armstrong, New York; L. G. Strickler, Vandalbilt.

Yough House.

J. Warder, New York, A. W. Cottom, Uniontown; E. D. Omins, H. D. Snow, G. M. Probst, Pittsburg; L. B. Holroyd, J. W. Long, Meyersdale; C. Abbott, Buffalo, N. Y.; L. H. Long, Meyersdale; A. L. Adams, Akron, O.; G. Schartzel, L. Heidleberger, Philadelphia, W. H. Scott, Dunbar, W. V. Dorsey, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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9-4 Bleached Sheeting, 25c value, sale price 22c
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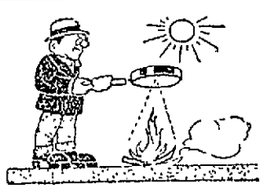
The Union Cupply stores are offering now great reductions on all lines of women's and misses' goods, consisting of ready-made suits, wraps, skirts, shirt waists, etc. There are great big lines of fashionable medium priced goods, and starting this day, there will be a great reduction on all of them. If you have not yet secured your winter outfit, it is a good time now to do so; it is a money-saving time for you, as the goods must be sold, and we recommend that you come early. We have just completed our inventory, and every article has been marked down to such a low price that they cannot last long.

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FAYETTE COUNTY GETS INVITATION

To Movable School of Agriculture Coming to Scottdale.

WILL LAST FOR FOUR DAYS

Local Chairmen Appointed to Act With Expert Teachers From the State Who Will Instruct in Farming—Other News of Mill Town.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Jan. 7.—The Scottdale farmers are anxious that all farmers in both Westmoreland and Fayette counties that can possibly do so may attend the coming Movable Farmers' School January 16, 17, 18 and 19. This is the best thing that the State sends out in an educational work, and Scottdale is the only town in either county, and perhaps for the greater part of this end of the State that was able to secure the school. The Scottdale people want their near neighbors in the two counties to enjoy the benefits of the school and this can be easily accomplished, either by the people coming here on the West Penn trolley lines which covers such a wide field, or by train or by boarding in town during the four days the school is in operation. For the dweller in the country or for ones who have a desire to get back to the soil this week's instruction gives advantages that could not be otherwise secured unless one go to the Experimental Station and School of Agriculture at State College, at considerable expense.

The local people interested in the school have appointed four chairmen to have charge during the four days. They are W. C. Myers, J. Lyman Loucks, A. J Porter and Ed. Workman. Any of these men will furnish information on the matter of the circulars giving a full description of everything to be taught may be secured from Hon. M. P. Shoemaker of Greensburg, who has had charge of the Farmers' Institutes in Westmoreland county, the institutes at Scottdale having attracted more people than all the other institutes in the county put together. It was this intense enthusiasm manifested by the people of Scottdale and vicinity that caused the State to send the Movable School of Agriculture here.

The instructors who are to come here will be Prof. Wells W. Cook and Dr. M. E. Conrad, whose names as dairy experts are familiar ones; W. Teho. Wittmann, a poultry expert, who will be attractive to the Scottdale Poultry & Pet Stock Association members along their lines; Dr. J. H. Funk, an expert horticulturist and a great fruit grower, known personally to a number of people about here, and Mrs. Sara B. F. Zeigler and Miss Sara Phillips Thomas, both widely known for their talks before institutes and their teaching ability. The sessions of the school begin at 10 in the morning and 2 in the afternoon and a wide range of farm subjects will be taught. In the evening there will be sessions at 7.30. The latter will be more in the nature of the Farmers' Institutes and will emphasize the social side of the life of a little more than the other sessions.

For Jacobs Creek Tonight.

This is Layman's night at Jacobs Creek Methodist Episcopal Church and a number of the Faith and Hope Band and Company C are going down there to take part in the meeting. Theodore C. Hockey will lead the services, which are part of the evangelistic ones being carried on by the pastor, Rev. P. O. Wagner. Rev. Mr. Wagner's services tomorrow will be at Alverton at 11 A. M., or one hour after the Sunday School there, and at Jacobs Creek in the evening at 7.30, with Epworth League at 6.30.

The Sunday Prayer Service.

The W. C. T. U. week of prayer closes tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with a meeting at the Methodist Episcopal Church to which all are invited. Mrs. C. B. Bates will be the leader and a memorial will be a feature of the afternoon. Those of the union, either active or honorary members, who are Mrs. Clara B. Gay, Mrs. Georgiana Pyle, Mrs. Caroline Zeek, Mrs. Elizabeth Pickard, Mrs. Florence M. Overholt, Mrs. Julia Grantham, Mrs. Mary Eicher, David G. Morrow, Mrs. Carrie Frey, Mrs. Alice T. King, Mrs. Elizabeth Keddie, Mrs. Kate Sisley, Mrs. Julia Pegg, Miss Elizabeth Kenggy, Mrs. Sara Barnett, Mrs. Mary Owen, Mrs. C. J. Anderson, Mrs. Alice Aultman, Mrs. Ethel M. Howells, Mrs. Anna H. Rutherford and Mrs. Jean Ryan.

Surprise For Mr. Lowe.

There was a surprise party given in honor of Samuel Lowe, a pioneer resident of near Wesley Chapel, by young people from the Chapel school, last evening. Games of various kinds were played and a fine lunch was a feature of the evening. Mr. Lowe sang several comic songs of the old times that the young people greatly enjoyed, and everyone had a fine time.

The Standard Bearers.

The Standard Bearers of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet this evening at the home of Miss Hazel Myers, to arrange for the coming rally.

At Institute Today.

The fifth institute of Mt. Pleasant township teachers is being held at the High school building today. Hubert C. Eicher of Scottdale, principal of the High School, will give his inaugural address, as president elect of the institute. Prof. P. O. Peterson, also from here, will give a lesson in writing.

Here From Mt. Pleasant.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Ferner, former residents, were here from Mt. Pleasant visiting Dr. and Mrs. N. E. Sisley yesterday and today.

Friendships.

There are three friendships which are advantageous and three which are injurious. Friendship with the upright, friendship with the sincere and friendship with the man of much information—these are advantageous. Friendship with the man of specious airs, friendship with the insinuatingly soft, friendship with the glib tongued—these are injurious.—Confucius.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Frank Miller and family wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted them during their recent bereavement caused by the sickness and death of their beloved son and brother, Frank Miller, Jr., especially to all those who sent the beautiful floral tributes.

A Great Western Play.

"A Texas Ranger" at the Soisson Theatre Tuesday night, January 10. Prices 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Seats now on sale.

SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. B. Frank White, minister. Every member of the church should be present at the 11.00 A. M. service when the subject will be "Plans For 1911." Sabbath school at 10.00 A. M. Strangers and those who have no church home are invited to attend these services. We have a splendid choir and an excellent Sabbath school and we believe you will enjoy worshiping with us. Juniors at 3.00 P. M. Everybody always welcome.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH, SOUTH Connellsville, R. C. Miller, pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. No evening meeting. Members and friends of the congregation are urged to attend the meetings in the tabernacle at 3.00 P. M., and 7.30 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN ST. JOHN'S Church in Carnegie avenue. George Dietz, pastor. Services at 10 o'clock A. M., subject of sermon taken from 1 Corinthians III, 18-iv, 18. Annual congregational meeting and election of new church council at 11 o'clock. Services at Morgan Station tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, Bible school will meet promptly at 10 o'clock in the morning and preaching services will be held at 11 o'clock conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ellis B. Burgess. Subject of the morning sermon: "The Habitual Religious Customs of the Home of the Jesus of Nazareth." No services will be held in the evening and the people are invited to join in the union services at the tabernacle.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—1 Sunday after Epiphany. Rev. Richard Kemp, 119 S. Fourth street, West Side. Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. morning prayer and litany at 11 A. M., sermon, "Gifts to Our King." Evening prayer and sermon at 7.30, sermon, "Look unto Me and be ye saved." Meeting of Ladies' Guild at the rectory on Tuesday at 2.30 P. M. Matter of importance. Mid-week service Thursday at 7.30 P. M. You are heartily invited to come and worship with us.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH.—S. Pittsburg and Green streets. Rev. C. E. Wagoner, pastor. Services tomorrow: Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Last quarterly report will be made. Let every member be present to hear it. Preaching at 11 o'clock, subject, "The Three Kings and the Newborn King." Evening service at 6.30 instead of 7.30. Come and afterwards go to the tabernacle. Subject, "Our Father's Business." Everybody welcome. Catechetical instruction Sunday afternoon at 2.30 P. M. Missionary Society meets on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Jelly, No. 119 E. Washington avenue.

REGULAR SERVICES AT THE BAPTIST Church Sunday, January 8, are as follows: Bible school at 9:15 A. M., public worship at 11 A. M. subject, "Reconciled to God through Christ." At 2.30 P. M. a membership service at the tabernacle. All church members but no pastors allowed to be present. Evening service at tabernacle at 7.30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—J. L. Prestley, pastor. Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "How a Sinner was saved." Sabbath school at 9.45 A. M. Presbyterians are urged to attend the service for church members in the tabernacle, at 3 o'clock. We join also in the evening service at the tabernacle. Evangelistic services each evening during the week.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—THE REGULAR morning service of the church will be held at 10.40, the pastor, C. M. Watson, preaching.

M. E. CHURCH, REV. R. C. WOLF, pastor. Services at 11.00 A. M. Sabbath school at 9.45 A. M. No evening service to unite with service in tabernacle.

The News of Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Jan. 7.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. S. Carroll. A full membership of the society was present and no business of any importance was transacted. At the close of the meeting lunch was served.

W. H. Blackwell, telegraph operator at the Baltimore & Ohio station, who has been visiting friends and relatives near Carry, Pa., has returned to his post of duty.

R. J. McGee, the groceryman, was in Uniontown attending the lecture of Ex-Governor Joseph W. Folk of Missouri, who lectured in the Central Christian Church on "The Soldiers' Peace." Following the lecture a banquet was given at the Hotel Titlow which Mr. McGee attended.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. William Herron at Mahoning are confined to their home with measles. The youngest child, Ella, is seriously ill, owing to her having both measles and pneumonia.

The Preparatory Bible Class of the Presbyterian Sunday school met on Thursday evening at the home of Miss Mary Everett at the Furnace. The evening was spent by the young ladies in various games and amusements until a late hour when dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Mary Saylor, wife of F. B. Saylor, is seriously ill at her home on Connellsville street with measles. The quarantine notice was posted Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. D. Kimball was shopping in Connellsville Friday.

T. B. Gale and D. C. Eason were in Connellsville Thursday evening attending Al. G. Field's Minstrels at the Soisson.

Miss Sallie Tague was shopping in Connellsville.

Mrs. Mildred Young was shopping in Connellsville Friday.

Dr. Omer Ferren was the guest of friends in Uniontown Friday evening.

Alfonso Visconti, who is employed at the Western Maryland railroad at Ohiopyle, was here Friday.

Miss Mattie Veith was the guest of friends in Connellsville Friday.

C. A. Brill of the Tri-State Candy Company, Connellsville, was here Friday.

Mrs. Frank Collins of Connellsville was here the guest of friends and relatives Friday.

Mrs. James Hustead of Uniontown was here Friday the guest of friends.

Mrs. C. W. Baker was the guest of friends in Connellsville Friday.

Policeman Howard Anderson and A. C. Duncan spent Friday in slaughtering dogs found running at large in the borough, owing to W. C. Smith's dog which bit his son three weeks ago. The head of the animal was sent to Philadelphia and was found to be mad.

Rev. W. E. Morritts, pastor of the Magyar Presbyterian church of Uniontown, was here Friday evening conducting the special services in the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Ezlah Pope, who has been ill with neuralgia, is improving.

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, Jan. 7.—Services will be held in the churches tomorrow as follows:

Methodist Episcopal church.—Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Preaching at 11.00 A. M., and 7.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6.15 P. M. Pastor Rev. G. Grant.

Cumberland Presbyterian church.—Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Preaching at 11.00 and 7.30 P. M. Christian Endeavor at 6.30 P. M. Pastor Rev. Marshall.

Christian church.—Sunday school at 10.00 A. M. Preaching at 11.00 A. M., and 7.30 P. M. Christian Endeavor at 6.30 P. M. Pastor Rev. McClintock.

R. K. Smith of Dawson, the Dunbar township school principal, was transacting business and calling on friends here.

Mrs. J. T. Beatty, after spending a few days here with her many friends, returned to her home at Mt. Pleasant.

Frank McLaughlin, the county detective, was here Thursday on a mission of business.

Mrs. W. G. Blair of Ursina, was here Wednesday calling on friends and relatives.

Chas. Shallenberger, Lindsey McFarland, Bob and George Moore and Louis Vigkovic were among those who attended Al. G. Field's minstrels at the Soisson Theatre Thursday evening.

The Music Makers will appear here in the Presbyterian church tonight. These four come highly recommended and it will pay everybody to witness the performance and see something good.

Allen Shallenberger and W. A. Danner left yesterday for McKees Rocks, where they will be employed as brakemen on the P. & L. E. Railroad.

Harry Addis and sister, Eva, attended Jacques dance Thursday evening in Connellsville.

Owen Burns, who represents The Anron Company of Connellsville, was here yesterday transacting business and calling on friends.

Helen Hager returned to her home at Duquesne, after spending a few days here with friends and relatives.

S. N. Laughrey of Scottdale, is here at the present visiting friends and relatives.

W. M. Means Jr., was in Connellsville yesterday transacting business and calling on friends.

Daisy Johnson and Helen Hager were in Dunbar this week visiting friends.

D. L. Laughrey was in Connellsville yesterday on a mission of business.

DAWSON.

DAWSON, Jan. 7.—A number of the members of the M. P. church of Broad Ford were very pleasantly entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Cyrus Whipkey, East Dawson. Among those present were Mrs. T. Hixter, Mrs. F. B. Cochran, Mrs. William Stillwagon, Mrs. George L. Whipkey, Mrs. Wm. Baldwin and Miss Ada Jones.

J. C. McGill was a business caller at Connellsville yesterday.

Mrs. Angeline Hoke was at Scottdale Friday evening attending the revival at the Christian church.

Mrs. Frank Stillwagon and daughter, Grace, were Connellsville shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hughes have returned home from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Smelton and Dubois.

Mrs. R. K. Smith and daughter, Nina Grace, were calling on friends at Connellsville Friday.

Dr. Boyle of Pittsburg is here the guest of Mrs. Sarah B. Cochran.

Otto Haas was a recent Connellsville business caller.

Mrs. E. S. Husband left yesterday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Schling at Hazelwood.

Mrs. E. E Brallier has returned home from a visit with friends and relatives at Scottdale.

Miss Bertha Bergen of Uniontown was here Thursday calling on friends.

Mrs. Elijah Grimm was a Connellsville shopper Friday.

Mrs. Margaret Laughrey of Connellsville was here Friday the guest of friends.

Wm. H. Cochran was a recent business caller at the county seat.

Mrs. L. S. Cottom was a Connellsville shopper Friday.

OWENSDALE.

OWENSDALE, Jan. 7.—One of the best meetings yet held was held last evening. The church as usual was crowded to its capacity. Each evening presents a formidable array of the christian forces and each evening these forces increase. These meetings are opening up in a manner similar to those of the Mt. Nebo charge and undoubtedly with a little more interest. Each evening the breastworks of the object of the church workers assaults slowly falls before the merciless fire of these earnest workers. "The Brazen Serpent" was the subject of Rev. Frank's sermon last evening, bringing before the congregation the serpent of the early ages of the world and the serpent of the twentieth century. The Sunday school teachers and the Bible class and the superintendent will take charge of the meeting Saturday evening while Sunday evening the Bible class will have charge.

The Faith and Hope Band and Company C will be at the Jacobs Creek Methodist Episcopal church Saturday evening and will help to produce momentum to the meetings there. Theodore Hockey, a church worker of Scottdale, will speak. Messrs. Taylor and Kooser have taken a predominating part in the evangelistic work at this church, working in conjunction with the pastor, Rev. P. O. Wagner, and under the supervision of these valiant workers the church work here has taken on an assumed appearance. The meeting will begin at 7.30.

Church announcements: Sunday school at the Hickory Square Protestant Methodist church at 1.45, preaching at 3.

At the Morgan Station Union Sunday school, Sunday school at 10.30.

At the Owensdale United Brethren church, Sunday school at 9.45, class meeting at 10.45, Christian Endeavor at 6.45, evening services announced elsewhere.

At the Jacobs Creek M. E. church, Sunday school at 1.45, Epworth League at 6.30, protracted services at 7.30.

Mrs. David Upperman was taken to the Mt. Pleasant hospital yesterday afternoon suffering from gall stones. Mrs. Upperman was taken seriously ill that for a time hopes for her recovery were abandoned.

Mrs. Wilbur DeWalt and son, Harold are visiting relatives at Uniontown.

John Ridenour is suffering from a serious attack of bronichal trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rush were visiting relatives here yesterday.

Protracted evangelistic services will begin at the Morgan Station Union Sunday school as soon as the services come to a close at the Owensdale and Jacobs Creek churches.

Maurice Renner of Scottdale was attending to matters of business here yesterday.

Alvin Hixon who was operated on for appendicitis at the Mt. Pleasant hospital is convalescing rapidly.

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, Jan. 6.—W. E. Clark departed Tuesday morning for Pittsburg, to make a short business transaction.

J. H. Tissue and M. C. Skinner of Whitecorner, were transacting business matters in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Flowers of near Victoria, are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy which arrived at their home Monday.

W. D. Gilchrist returned home Wednesday evening, after a few days visit with relatives and friends at Greensburg.

Roger Welsh, who is employed at Kendall, Md., returned to his home here Tuesday evening for a few days visit.

Mrs. James Seese, who has for the past several days been visiting with relatives and friends in Uniontown, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gilchrist and sons, William and James, attended the show at the Soisson Theatre Thursday.

T. W. Flemming was attending to matters of business in Connellsville and Uniontown Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stark of near Bear Run, were visiting with relatives and shopping in town yesterday.

L. Gershberger and Chas. Glotfelty took in the show at the Soisson Theatre Thursday evening.

Miss Martha Rush of Confluence, was visiting with Ohiopyle friends yesterday.

C. E. Frazier is spending a few days visiting with friends and transacting business matters in town.

LAYTON.

LAYTON, Jan. 5.—This morning John Kerstin was bitten by a large dog, owned by Charles Waterman. The owner had the dog shot.

George, the 10 year old son of George Vargo, had his right leg badly injured while playing at school at noon today. He became entangled in the lines of a small sled and was knocked down. Dr. Cochran of Star Junction was called.

Edwin Hamilton returned to the Ohio Wesleyan University on Tuesday, after spending his holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hamilton.

Walter Fisher, who has been seriously ill, is recovering. His father, James Fisher, has also been quite ill. Dr. Agney of Smithton, is the attending physician.

Samuel Polen of East Liverpool, O., spent Monday with C. H. Polen, foreman of the Layton Fire Clay Company.

Miss Eva Thorn of Vanderbilt, visited her brother here this week.

Buell Shirey returned to the Ohio Northern University at Ada, after spending his holidays at his home near here.

Prof. J. Buell Snyder, principal of the North Belle Vernon schools, was calling on friends here Sunday evening.

Earl Blair and Fred Graham of Star Junction, attended the social at the hall Saturday evening.

Ray Thorne is visiting friends at Vanderbilt.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, Jan. 6.—H. Bartholomew has moved from Hooversville to Rockwood, where he will fill the vacancy caused by J. E. Wildman, resigned.

E. H. Shultz and son, Oalo, of Tillie, have returned home after spending several days visiting friends and relatives in Rockwood and vicinity.

Elmer Schrock, who was injured several weeks ago at the Schrock planing mill, has returned home from the Connellsville hospital and is recovering rapidly.

George Reese of Connellsville is visiting his uncle, Geo. Pfleer of East Main street for several days.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ross of Broadway, died suddenly last evening at 5.30.

Church announcements for next Sunday:

Methodist church.—Preaching at 7.30 P. M.

Lutheran church.—Preaching at 10.30 A. M., and 7.15 P. M.

Reformed church.—Preaching at 10.30 A. M., and 7.30 P. M.

United Brethren church.—Evangelistic services at 7.30 P. M.

All other services as usual.

Reformer services will be held in the new church, beginning Sunday.

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SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, Jan. 6.—Samuel Thompson of Rosco, and Squire J. C. Tuck of Monessen, are visiting Mrs. Martha Thompson, the former's mother.

Lee Crow and John McCann of Masontown, were business visitors Wednesday.

Fred Hartman returned from Pittsburg Wednesday, where he had been attending a horse sale.

The Junior Order American Mechanics installed their officers Wednesday evening.

Tax Collector A. Howard, was transacting business at Uniontown Friday.

Prof. T. B. Wheobery and I. C. Sutton from out R. D. No. 6, was attending a session of Smithfield encampment I. O. O. F. Thursday night.

Frank Ramsey of Baxter's Ridge was a borough visitor today.

Mail Carrier Ramsey from out R. D. No. 8, was a borough visitor Thursday evening.

Mrs Pauline Hibbs is sick, threatened with pneumonia.

E. V. Reece, who died suddenly at his home in Georges township Tuesday, was buried at the Baptist cemetery here Thursday afternoon. Rev. W. M. Ryan conducted the funeral services.

Mrs. C. O. Bosley and sister, Miss Lulu Austin, took in Al. G. Field's minstrel at Uniontown Wednesday evening.

The Shoaf works of the H. C. Frick Coke Company that have been banked for several weeks, are firing up.

John H. Hunter and wife of White House, were here Thursday attending the funeral of E. V. Reece.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. O. J. Feather Thursday and held a quilting bee. The ladies did good work, finishing two patch quilts. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. James Matthews.

Clyde Bosley, Daniel Abraham and Buck Montieth took in the fox chase at Masontown Friday.

A meeting of L. M. Abraham Camp, Sons of Veterans, is called for Tuesday evening, January 10, 1911. Business of importance to the members will come up for action.

J. H. Miller of Ruble, was a business visitor today.

DICKERSON RUN.

DICKERSON RUN, Jan. 6.—Preaching services at the Church of God Sunday morning at 10.30 A. M. Sunday school at 2.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.45 P. M. Pastor, D. A. Stephens.

Jesse McFarland of Liberty, was transacting business at Connellsville yesterday.

Poor House Director G. M. Strickler, was a business caller here yesterday.

Emerson Arnold of Buna Vista, was a Liberty business caller Friday.

Lloyd McNair was transacting business at Vanderbilt Friday.

Miss Ella Beatty of Uniontown, is spending a few days here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Beatty.

W. R. McMannis was a Vanderbilt business caller yesterday.

L. Forsythe of Dawson, was a business caller here yesterday.

W. R. Harper was calling on Vanderbilt friends Friday.

Dawson's Chief of Police, Anthony Bonner, was transacting business in our town Friday.

Dr. J. F. Cogan of Dawson, was a professional caller at Liberty Friday.

Miss Blanch Cramer of Franklin township, was calling on her friend, Miss Marie Beatty of Liberty, Friday.

C. S. Worthington of Dawson, was a business caller here Friday.

Mrs. Joseph Collins was shopping in Vanderbilt Friday.

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CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 7.—J. W. Worsing of Barnesville was transacting business in town yesterday.

Herbert McLaughlin, a B. & O. fireman of Connellsville, was here calling on friends yesterday.

Mrs. Zeba Barnworth and son, J. L., of Johnson Chapel, are each on the sick list.

Revival services are in progress each evening during the week in the First M. E. church, Rev. C. W. Hoover, pastor.

Orville Barnworth, a well known farmer of Johnson Chapel, was in town yesterday transacting business.

L. L. Hall of Charleston was here yesterday transacting business.

C. N. Flanigan of Johnson Chapel, was in town yesterday greeting old friends.

Carl Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H Brown of the West Side, met with a very painful accident while at work yesterday by having his foot badly mashed.

John Trentle of Charleston was in town yesterday shipping produce to Connellsville.

Harry Horton of Connellsville, secretary of the Kendall Lumber Company, was in town yesterday transacting business.

A. W. Scott and E. M. Long of the A. W. Cook Company of Unands, are in Pittsburg on business.

M. J. Adams, B. & O. supervisor of Rockwood, was a business visitor here yesterday.

Guy Wright of Coney Island, N. Y., was here yesterday visiting friends.

Charles Lape, the shoe and harness repairer, was down the road on business yesterday.

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ALVERTON.

ALVERTON, Jan. 7.—George Roadman, who has been confined to his room for some time, is able to be out.

Rev. P. O. Wagner of the Alverton M. E. church, is now at Jacobs Creek holding a special series of meetings.

Rev. Guyer preached to the shop men at the car shops in Everson yesterday at the noon hour. It was one of a special noon-day meetings which are be ing held in the various shops under the auspices of the Scottdale Y. M. C. A.

Graded lessons have been put into the Church of God Sunday school with good results. The scholars seem to like them and the teachers are getting more effective work from the scholars.

The High School students are taking on a new lease of intellectual life by organizing two literary societies. The officers of the first society are: President, Grover Houser; Vice President, Raymond Couchenour; Secretary, Ella Taylor; Treasurer, Leona Rhl.

The officers of the other society are: President Paul Hixon; Vice President Paul Bowser; Secretary, Esther Hough.

The community may now look for a number of modern Websters and Clays, some Emersons and Lowells, some Rhillings and Mrs. Humphreys, some John Burroughs and Walt Whitmans and what not. At any rate it is a good thing to give the students a chance to test their natural powers.

The revival at the Church of God still continues with increasing interest. Not for many years has the community been so much spiritually alive as now. The attendance is large every night and the people of all the churches are lending their efficient help.

The Bible Study Class under Miss Lulu Fetters is doing good work and thus the campaign of enlisting the young in proper training for usefulness goes on.

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I have a recipe for these troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a quick recovery, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you $3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you entirely free. Just drop me a line like this. Dr. A. E. Robinson, K-437 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure, harmless remedies, but it has great healing and pain-conquering power.

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SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 7, 1911.

THE REPUBLICAN DUTY AT WASHINGTON.

The national struggle at Washington is just beginning, and it promises to become very interesting if not very exciting. The insurgent and unreconciled element is already proposing certain changes in the rules of the House which will have the effect of binding the majority hand and foot.

This the majority can never consent to. It has certain duties to perform before the control of the body is passed over to the Democrats, and on no account must it fail. The present rules are essential to its effective action. They must not be tampered with further.

When the Democrats take charge of the House they will be at liberty to make such rules as they think proper, and it may be remarked in passing that it will not make much difference what they are, since they will have no effect save to add further weight to the safety-brake on foolish legislation. Under indicated Democratic and Insurgent rule any measure may be talked to death, and perhaps that will be the natural and proper fate of most of them.

In the meantime, the Republicans will continue in the good old-fashioned way to do things at Washington for the good of the country, leaving emasculated efforts to business disturbance for those who follow.

THE SLAVONIC CHARACTER.

The purchase by the National Slavonic Society of America of a large tract of land in Maryland near Cumberland for the purpose of erecting and maintaining a home for aged and infirm members of that nationality gives the lie to the popular coke region superstition that this people is without the milk of human kindness in their breasts, devoid of the feeling of national brotherhood, so imbued with cold-blooded selfishness that its people have been wont to say that a crippled or crushed Slav is "no good," and had better die than live.

The Slavish race is very human, very industrious, very faithful. It has reared some bad men who have reddened the soil of the Connellsville coke region with the blood of others in riotous drunkenness or uncovernable rage, but these have been the exceptions. It has produced some very honest, temperate and upright residents, and not a few of them have become respected citizens.

CAPITAL AND LABOR COMBINES.

The glass plants of Fayette county announce their inability to pay present wages since the courts have dissolved their selling agency and made the glass market open and competitive.

The situation is characteristic of what must happen if the efforts of those in authority to dissolve all corporate combinations of any magnitude is carried to a logical conclusion.

The anti-trust talk is all very fine and the appeals for the Common People sound very eloquent and unselfish, but they conceal either a sordid or a silly character. They are especially demogogic when they seek to restrain capital from combination and at the same time betray a desire to permit labor to do the same thing.

"What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander."

THE UNLAWFUL SALE OF CIGARETTES.

The Connellsville crusade against the sale of cigarettes to minors is not original, but it promises to become effective, and this is as it should be.

Too many boys are addicted to the cigarette habit and many of them are mere children. Medical testimony is to the effect that tobacco, and especially that form of it known as cigarettes, stunts the growth and undermines the constitution of youth. In the name of future citizenship the use of cigarettes by the rising generation must be effectually prohibited if such prohibition is possible.

The enforcement of the law against dealers will not cure the evil. It must be enforced against all others. The bootlegger defies the liquor laws and thoughtless persons defy the cigarette law by giving "pipes" to small boys. The former is not worse than the latter, and the latter should be punished not less sternly than the former.

In the meantime, however, the dealer should be compelled to keep his skirts clean.



An Architectural Plan That the Beef Trust Does Not Approve Of.

President Taft insists that the rich offender receive a jail sentence instead of a fine.—News Item.

RAILROAD DISCRIMINATION IS DOOMED.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has decided against a Pennsylvania railroad company in a suit brought against it for discrimination against a coal company in the matter of cars. The discrimination was palpable and gross and the judgment was just and inevitable.

Discrimination in car supply is an old tale to the coal and coke trade, but it is not one which now troubles either interest. What concerns them most at this time is the discrimination practiced against them in the matter of freight rates.

The Pittsburg coal operators and the Connellsville coke manufacturers have just cause of complaint, and they are voicing this complaint in Pittsburg today. It may not seem very loud, but it is apt to be heard in Washington even though expressed in whispers.

Senator Lafollette, unreconstructed insurgent, demands an open primary for the election of delegates to the Republican National Convention. It is strange that he does not insist upon the referendum and recall. The primary business is being elaborated and refined to the ridiculous. It needs reforming in the other direction. For proof of this statement we need only refer to some of the grotesque results in Western States, where the advanced primary system has elected to office candidates palpably not the choice of the people.

Pinkerton tunnel continues to claim its victims, and will do so as long as people refuse to recognize the fact that it is no public thoroughfare.

The Ohio Pomerene is reported to be something of a Peacherine.

The Pennsylvania railroad proposes to abandon the West Side stop of its passenger trains in order to save several minutes in its schedule, and the West Side people are correspondingly indignant. While it is not for us to dictate to the company concerning its schedule, we might suggest that there are other railroads in Connellsville, and if the Pennsylvania is out for business the wisest thing for it to do is to cater to the business, not to try to drive it away.

Company D's attendance on drill is improving since it has been impressed upon the minds of the soldiers membership in the company is not all play.

The Tong War in New York is more strenuous than any Tammany fight.

Bullskin township presents a case of absolute destitution in the midst of plenty, but it did not appeal in vain to the generous hearts of some Connellsville people. Charity is the prime virtue of mankind. This is the testimony of the Testament. It is also the testimony of the heart.

The hospitality of the hospital has been a cold proposition recently.

Honduras is still rebellious. It needs safe and sane regulation at the hands of an intelligent and impartial power.

Prudence is a great virtue not possessed by all men, and we do not have to go away from home to illustrate this fact.

Up in Somerset county candidates for county offices are already sticking their noses above the frozen ice of sleeping politics, but the Frosty Sons of Thunder always awaken sooner than their brethren in the Southern tier counties. Fayette county, for example, may have some ambitions, but they are still uncovered. Fayette is a business county and the citizens here do not wish to be worried with politics until the election is close at hand.

The dentists and the doctors are in the same class when it comes to suits for malpractice. They know how to sympathize with editors who are sued for libel by some rotten wretch who didn't get half of what was coming to him.

The Connellsville coke region has entered its protest with the others against railroad discrimination.

The Glencoe foreigner who lost his feet and almost his life in saving a companion from death is entitled to a Carnegie Hero Medal and some new feet.

The Pennsylvania railroad is issuing passes again, but the people who are getting them will be adjudged worthy by the public verdict.

Looking Backward.

News of the Past Condensed from the Files of The Courier.

Friday, January 9, 1891.

Coke production 102,112 tons; shipments 6,008 cars; prices, furnace, $1.00; foundry $2.25.

The State Legislature convenes at Harrisburg and Governor Beaver delivers his last message.

Conference between operators and wage earners adjourns, the former rejecting the proposed scale submitted by the coke workers.

Coke trade for 1890 was prosperous and worth a round $13,000,000

Eggs bring 30 cents a dozen; butter 25@30 cents a pound.

Several coils of pipe in the Second Ward school's heating apparatus burst and school had to be suspended.

L. Aaron of Brookvale, Pa., has rented the first and second floors of the Odd Fellows building and will open a furniture store there.

Miss Antoinette Gaddis of Uniontown, is elected head nurse of the Miners' Cottage Hospital.

Friday, January 4, 1901.

Work on rebuilding Sodom shops is started.

Mine boss examinations are being held in the Connellsville coke region and all parts of the state.

Local committee discusses and endorses movement to erect monument in honor of Col. Alexander L. Hawkins and the soldiers of the Tenth who fell in the Philippines.

Benjamin Stuart, a well known colored character, dies in the lockup.

Coke production 155,720 tons; shipments 8,401 cars. Prices, furnace, $2; foundry, $2.50@2.75.

The Twentieth Century gets a noisy welcome in Connellsville. Three churches hold watch meetings.

Several colored people who knew William Sims, who was hanged in Uniontown several weeks ago, do not believe he was killed when the trap fell. They say the body was lifelike when received by the Dunbar undertaker prior to shipment to Roanoke. Reports have reached Fayette county from the South that Sims's came back to life.

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FOR RENT.—FIVE ROOM HOUSE, water and gas. Apply J. C. LYTLE, 232 East Fairview avenue. Tri-State phone 638. 7jan1d

FOR RENT—6 ROOM HOUSE WITH bath. Corner Arch street and North alley. Inquire TRI-STATE CANDY COMPANY. 21dectf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—A GOOD SECOND hand coal or gas stove for sale cheap. Inquire 107 HAAS PLACE. 4jan1f

FOR SALE—CHEAP FOR CASH, one Edison Mimeograph, not used more than a dozen times. Inquire at The Courier Office. 9dec1tf

FOR SALE.—$500 FOR FOUR-ROOM house on Baldwin avenue, $50 cash, $100 a year and no interest. JOS. A. MASON, Second National Bank Bldg. 6jan2td

FOR SALE—CHERRY LANE FARM. Home of the late John Willcox. Good buildings, fruit and valuable lime quarry. Write BOX 861, Connellsville, Pa. 2jan6td

FOR SALE—LOTS ON EASY TERMS, on Hill Farm, near Vanderbilt. Close to churches, school4 Dickerson Run and street car. For particulars inquire of G. M. STRICKLER or J. H. BYERS, Vanderbilt. 7jan-eod3t*

FOR SALE.—SPECIAL.—SELL MY place, I must have money. A. M Lang. This place, East End, on car line; 2 room cottage, 1½ acre ground, stable, other outbuildings; a nice little home. Inquire JOS. A. MASON, Second National Bank Bldg. 6jan2td

Lost.

LOST.—BETWEEN U. B. CHURCH and 808 Sycamore street Monday evening, lady's gold watch and fob. Initials on fob B. M. S. Finder please leave same at Courier Office. 7jan2td

January a Good Month for Shopping at Dunn's

Not only on account of the regular after Holiday reductions, but all stocks are carefully gone over and all odds and ends, all slightly soiled goods and all broken lots are gotten together from every nook and corner of the store and marked at prices sure to effect a quick clearance. Our Remnant Counters are an attraction and hundreds of little things you can always use can be had for a song. Stocktaking time will soon be here which means that everything must be straightened up and put into ship-shape order.

FRENCH SERGES.—Several pieces of these in tan, brown, light cadet and navy blues, grey, green, etc. These are 36 inches wide, strictly all wool. Now is the time to buy these so they can be made up for early spring wear. Special values at 50c.

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Garments that represent well selected stocks showing the most authoritative styles of the season on sale now at

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STORK GOODS.—Just received shipment of these; little pants, plain or lace trimmed at 25c and 50c. Bibs at 25c and 50c, plaid rubber traveling bags at 50c and stork and rubber sheeting in different widths at 50c, 75c and $1.00.

UNDERWEAR SPECIAL.—One lot of grey fleeced Union Suits and all wool grey vests and pants, medium weight, regular price is $1 a garment, offered now as special value at ONE-FOURTH OFF.

NEW GINGHAMS.—Gotten early to accommodate those who do their sewing early. They are Anderson's Zephyrs in large plaids, checks, stripes, broken bars, etc. A beautiful array of patterns and colorings. Look them over while picking is good. Price 25c.

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CLEAN-UP SALE

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Men's best All Wool Shirts or Drawers, very fine, sold for $1.50 per garment, to close out price $1.15

Men's All Wool Shirts or Drawers, double breast shirts, double seat drawers .... 85c each .....

Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, all sizes, shirts or drawers, each 39c

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We offer one lot of Comforts, for single beds, good, heavy weight, made up with assorted flowered patterns each 39c

One lot of $1.25 and $1.50 Comforts, extra large size, a few of them slightly soiled, while they last, each.... 95c

SCHMITZ' New York Racket Store

Some Specials at Our Store

Too Many Tan High Tops

for Women and Girls. We loaded too heavy. We thought everybody would want Tan High Tops this winter. But it turned out different. So you know our custom. Price Must Make Them Go. Here They Go:

$1.65

Children's 8½ to 11, Misses 11½ to 2, and sizes 2½ to 7. Low Heels, Tan and Ox-blood, Lace and Button. Formerly sold for $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00. Now

$1.65 Cash

Slippers

Felt Slippers for Women. About two dozen pairs are left over. Fur trim or without. If bought within a week the price will be

OneHalf Price

$2.65

Women's Tan and Ox-blood Boots, Medium and real high tops. All size, formerly sold for $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00. As long as they last

$2.65 Cash

$1.65

Boys' High Top Shoes. A lot of odds and ends collected sizes 9 to 12 and 3½ to 5½. While they last

$1.65 Cash

C. W. Downs & Co.

West Side Real Estate and Other Real Estate

is active just now on account of the entrance of the Western Maryland railroad into Connellsville, but South Connellsville real estate presents the best proposition in or around Connellsville for the workingman who wants a Home with the Greatest Possible Conveniences at the Lowest Possible Price.

South Connellsville is merely an extension of the city southward. It is the home of a number of active industries and others building.

It has Trolley Service, City Water, Electric Light, Natural Gas and excellent Public Schools.

It is within easy walk of the mills and of the B. & O. shops and yards and of the new Tube Works.

WE OFFER YOU BUILDING LOTS WITH ALL CITY ADVANTAGES AT COUNTRY PRICES.

PRICES $75, $85, $100, $125, $150, $200, $225, $250 and $300. Some half lots at $40 and $50.

TERMS. These lots are sold on Poor Men's terms. A small payment down and easy monthly payments.

Connellsville Extension Company

THE COURIER BUILDING. CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

School Shoes For Boys

We have two makes of School Shoes that we guarantee in every particular.

We have them made to our own special order, we know what boys need in shoes, we now have the best that can be produced. The cost of these Shoes to us is more, but the satisfaction to you will be greater.

The American Boy and the Good for Bad Boys Shoes cannot be excelled, either in fit, in wear or in shapekeeping. There may be lower priced shoes than our, but they will be more expensive in the end.

Sizes 10 to 13½, $2; 13½ to 2, $2.50; 2½ to 5½, $2.75.

Hooper & Long

DISSOLUTION SALE

The Largest and Most Desirable Stock in Fayette County of

Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Rugs, Etc.

Forced onto the market, without reserve, to dissolve the partnership of the big firm heretofore known as Featherman & Sumberg.

The Crisis is here and Must be Met! You Can come and just pick up Bargains for a Mere Song!

Let it be distinctly understood by every man and woman who has the good fortune to read this announcement that no matter how terrible the slaughter of prices necessary to turn these big stocks into ready money in double quick time,

A COMPLETE AND ABSOLUTE CLEARANCE WILL BE MADE AT ONCE!

Enough money must be raised within a few days to pay off Mr. Sumberg, the retired partner.

Sale Starts Thursday, Jan. 12, at 9 A. M.

Be Wise! Where one person loses another must gain! Let Featherman & Sumberg's loss be your gain! Gather up every dollar you can lay your hands on, bring it to this sale and get double and triple its value in beautiful things for your home.

Cash Will Rule Supreme! Here's An Idea of the Sensational Bargains It Will Secure!

50c For Chairs, Taborettes, Stands, Lace Curtains and Articles worth up to $1.50.

$1.95 For Library Tables, Mattresses. Iron Beds and articles worth up to $4.75.

$4.95 For Chiffoniers, Mission Rockers, Kitchen Cabinets and articles worth up to $10.50.

$7.75 For Dressers, Book Cases, Chiffoniers with glasses and articles worth up to $16.50.

$9.75 For Combination Book Cases, Pedestal Tables and articles worth up to $18.50.

$13.75 For Sideboards, Buffets and China Cabinets, worth up to $25.00.

$18.75 For Parlor Suits, Brass Beds, Bed Room Suites and articles worth up to $35.00.

$25.75 For Bed Davenports, Office Desks, Library Suits and articles worth up to $50.00.

Odd Floor Samples Almost Given Away

95c For Rockers, Chairs, Lace Curtains and articles worth up to $2.50.

$2.95 For Rockers, Parlor Tables and other articles that are worth up to $6.50.

$5.95 For Kitchen Cupboards, Felt Mattresses, Library Tables, Dining Tables and articles worth up to $12.50.

Store Closed by Appraiser For 2 Days Prior to Date of Sale To Mark Down Goods.

Be Here at the Opening! A Large Force of Extra Help to Wait Upon You Promptly.

Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

$1.45 For Rugs, Lace Curtains, Rockers, Iron Beds, Springs and articles worth up to $3.50.

$3.95 For Room Size Rugs, Iron Cribs, Handsome Beds and articles worth up to $8.50.

$6.95 For Morris Chairs, Couches, Upholstered Rockers and articles worth up to $14.50.

$8.75 For Couches, Dressers and other articles picked from our stock worth up to $17.00.

$12.75 For Turkish Rockers, Brass Beds, N. Y. Leather Couches and articles worth up to $30.00.

$15.75 For Davenports, Refrigerators, Bed Room Suites, Axminster Rugs, and articles up to $30.00.

$22.75 Genuine Leather Couches, Sideboards, Stoves, Ranges and articles worth up to $39.50.

$29.75 For very heavy Sideboards, Bed Room Suites and articles worth up to $65.00.

Stoves and Ranges Way Below Cost.

Don't Forget the Date, Thursday, January 12th, at 9 A. M.

FEATHERMAN & SUMBERG

The Big Furniture Store,

201 North Pittsburg Street, Connellsville, Penna.

WATCH FOR BIG SIGN, "DISSOLUTION SALE."

That Trolley and Electric Merger In Somerset County and Maryland.

SOMERSET, Jan. 7.—Arthur O. Lorentz, the right of way agent for the proposed new trolley and electric merger in Somerset county and Maryland, has been busy for more than a week past following the surveyors through Greensville township and purchasing right of way through the properties over which the new road has been surveyed. The best evidence of the good faith of the new company is the fact that Mr. Lorentz is paying cash for the land he buys.

The Pocahontas correspondent of The Republican states that Mr. Lorentz has paid William Warner $1,000 for a strip 50 feet wide through his land, and has also purchased and paid for the right of way through the property of Josiah Lowry. Nearly $2,000 has already been paid property-holders in the vicinity of Pocahontas, alleges the correspondent who is in close touch with what is going on.

Mr. Lorentz is also reported as being impatient to close deals with Harvey Miller, A. G. Yutzy, Samuel Miller and George Baer for right of way through their properties, so that the company can speedily begin work.

A meeting of Pocahontas citizens was held last Monday evening, with A. G. Yutzy presiding. Fred Durr secretary, and Harvey Miller, J. C. Miller, S. D. Yutzy and J. M. Yutzy present, with the object of discussing which streets and alleys in the village of Pocahontas the electric railway should be permitted to occupy. The meeting was very enthusiastically in favor of the new road.

Edwin S. Johnson, the chief engineer and general manager of the South Penn Railways and Light Company, as the new company is called, gave up a responsible position as superintendent of concrete construction in Indianapolis, to accept his present position, thereby showing his faith in the enterprise. Mr. Johnson was in Meyersdale on business last Saturday, returning hence to Frostburg, Md., from which point he is directing the surveys and taking other steps to bring about the merger.

There are indications also that, while the South Penn Railways and Light Company is effecting a merger of the Cumberland and Westernport Street Railway Company, and the Pennsylvania and Maryland, and building a connecting link between the two, the Somerset Street Railway Company will proceed to build a line from Somerset to Rockwood. That company this week closed a contract with the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company by which the latter will assist instead of trying to hinder the Somerset-Rockwood electric railway project.

While the Somerset company has secured nearly all of the right of way it will need for its line to Rockwood, it had commenced condemnation proceedings to secure a right of way over a strip of land which the B. & O. has since acquired as part of its recent purchases for yard purposes south of Somerset.

By the contract just closed the B. & O. agrees to let the electric railway have the right of way it needs at the same price the B. & O. paid for the land, and furthermore, the railroad company agrees to build a bridge needed for an overhead crossing at the point that had been in dispute, wide enough to accommodate the tracks of the new electric road as well as the Somerset & Cambria. This practically removes the last obstacle to the building of the electric line from Somerset to Rockwood which is to be financed entirely by local capital.

The officers of the company are: J. A. Berkey, president; A. L. G. Hay, vice president; H. P. Barron, treasurer, A. Kent Miller, secretary. With the exception of Mr. Barron, these gentlemen are directors, and the additional directors are C. L. Shaver, F. B. Thick, J. C. Lowry and J. C. McSpadden.

In addition to the gentlemen named, the following named persons have subscribed for stock: Josiah Specht, H. P. Hay, R. S. McMillen, F. A. Harrah, A. S. Bridigum, D. G. Kelly, George A. Darr, Russell M. Young, S. P. Sweitzer, Dr. J. R. Hemminger, Dr. S. J. H. Louther, J. J. Phillips, F. J. Hoffman and Mrs. Lucila Parkhill.

Whether the Somerset Street Railway Company will eventually be included in the big merger remains to be seen. No overtures toward that end have yet been made. However, since the Pennsylvania & Maryland has long had designs of extending northward through Somerset and on toward Johnstown, and the Pennsylvania & Maryland is included in the merger, it is not improbable that if the Pennsylvania & Maryland or its successor, the South Penn Railways & Light Company, is ever extended to Somerset, the Somerset-Rockwood line will also be absorbed, especially since the Somerset company and the Pennsylvania & Maryland are working in harmony and have an agreement whereby both are to use the same tracks through Somerset borough.

It is not probable, however, that the Pennsylvania & Maryland will be extended down the river from Casselman to connect with the Somerset-Rockwood line, as such a line would be very expensive to build, owing to the fact of the B. & O. occupying one bank of the river and the Western Maryland the other. It is more likely that a line will eventually be built from Garrett to Berlin and thence to Somerset, thus passing through a productive and thickly populated country for practically the entire distance, while a line from Garrett to Rockwood would pass through an unproductive and uninhabited country.

The promoters of the Somerset-Rockwood line figure that electric road between those two towns will pay handsomely, as travel between the two places is heavy, and people going to the county seat via Rockwood would patronize the trolley line from that point on in preference to the slow and uncertain Somerset & Cambria trains. The trolley schedule would be arranged so as to meet all trains on the B. & O., east and west, and thus prove a great convenience to the traveling public.

The New Kobacker Store Is To Have Double Floor Space.

The old Kobacker spirit in Connellsville is in evidence once more. The New Kobacker Store, under the able management of the young Alfred J. Kobacker, nephew of the famous Morris and Joseph I. Kobacker, has so rapidly increased their business that they were compelled to secure additional floor space, taking over the entire building of their present quarters.

Alfred J. and Jerome M. Kobacker received their early training in the public schools of Connellsville, and their early commercial experience under their able and efficient uncles, Morris and Joseph I. Kobacker. The young Kobackers induced their father to start them in business in Mt. Pleasant starting as the smallest store and today they have the largest in Mt. Pleasant, occupying Nos. 625, 627 and 629 Main, and all the upper floors.

The Kobackers' newly enlarged store in Connellsville will more than double their present floor space. Therefore they will be in a position to give the people of Connellsville everything that goes to the making of a good store.

Farmers' Institute in Somerset Co.

Special to The Courier.

SOMERSET, Pa., Jan. 7.—The annual session of the Farmers' Institute convened here yesterday morning, and the seating capacity of the assembly room of the court house has been taxed to the utmost. Hon. John C. Weller of Gepharts is chairman of the County Institute, and the sessions held in Somerset were in charge of the following committee: William P. Hay, Edward Hover and Pierce Miller. On Monday and Tuesday the institute will be held in Stoystown, having been held in Salisbury on Wednesday and Thursday.

The program of the local sessions follows: Maintenance of soil fertility and soil moistening," by Prof. Frank Menges, 'Twenty-five years' experience in soiling," by Dr. D. J. Detrick; "Adaption of crops to soils," by P. U. Bonesteel, "Methods and Management in the apple orchard," by D. H. Watts address by Robert W. Lohr of Jenner township; "Domestic chemistry in the public schools," by Prof. Franklin Menges, "Bench, Book and Farm,' by Dr. J. D. Detrick; "Fertilizers, home mixing and use" by F. E. Bonesteel, "Benefits of corn breeding," by Prof. Franklin Menges; "The different weeds and how to destroy them," by Hon. M. D. Reel of Shade township, "Alfalfa in Pennsylvania," by D. H. Watts, 'Paying for the horse" by P. K. Moore of Middlecreek township; "How to raise crops without weeds" by J. D. Detrick; "Methods of raising hay" by Prof. Franklin Menges.

Reynard Holes; Leavs Dogs Behind

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 7.—In one of the prettiest short chases ever held in this vicinity, sly Reynard eluded 30 hunters and as many dogs in a 12 mile chase starting at Masontown yesterday. The fox, which was donated by R. B. Hayes, a hotelman of Masontown, was in prime condition for the hunt. For eight days it had been confined and was fed on spring chicken and other delicacies.

The huntsmen, all residents of Fayette and Greene counties, included James Magee, mayor of Brownsville and president of the Tri State Fox Hunters' Association, and two of the oldest hunters in the two counties, James Flenniken of Carmichaels, aged 83, and Thomas Wiley, aged 75, also of Greene county. The two latter have ridden in fox hunts since they could sit on a horse, and no chase in this region would be complete without the pair. Both were splendidly mounted and took the fences with ease and led the pace for a number of young hunters.

The fox was released in the presence of 1,000 persons in an open field in Masontown. After running 200 yards the animal rolled about in a snow bank for a few minutes and then "traveled." Twenty minutes later the dogs, all pedigreed animals, were released and the chase started. The fox ran west two miles to the Monongahela river and then doubled back to Brown's run, passing within half a mile of the point at which it started. The animal was in strange territory, and again turned its tracks toward the river. Near the river it "holed," in a cave known as 'Robbers' Den, said to have been the rendezvous in pioneer days of a band of thieves. Two of the hounds were within 200 yards of the fox when it "holed."

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Final Sale of the Stock of Mace & Co.'s Dept. Store

We will start The Ball Arolling

On Thursday, January 12

With reductions that will surpass any previous offering by any store in our city.

We make no fictitious claims or boast in any way to entice you to our store, on the contrary we give you bonafide reductions and the goods as advertised.

SEDERSKY & RAPPORT

At Mace & Co., The Big Store.

WILL PROBATED.

Disposition of the Estate of Mary A. Sherrard.

The last will and testament of Mary Ann Sherrard, late of Dunbar township, who died December 27, 1910, was probated Friday. After providing for all debts and funeral expenses she bequeathed $500 to the Laurel Hill Presbyterian church the interest thereof to be paid annually to support the pastor. She places $7,500 in the hands of her two sons, Alex C. and William J. Sherrard in trust for the following uses and purposes: Pay the interest thereon annually to my three grandchildren, Thos. Humbert, Joseph Humbert and Dale May Humbert equally for and during a period of ten years from and after my decease. At the expiration of that time they are to pay each grandchild the sum of $2,500.

All the rest and residue of the property of whatsoever kind, real, personal or mixed she bequeathes to her two sons, Alex C. and Wm. J. Sherrard, share and share alike. The two sons also named as executors of the will. The will bears date of February 4, 1909, and is witnessed by Geo. B. Franks and David Junk.

When You Want

Anything advertise in our classified column. The cost' le a word.

The man who forgets to be thankful has fallen asleep in life.—Stevenson.

Tonsiline Prevents Quinsy The Germs which cause Quinsy reach the deeper seated tissues by absorbtion through the tonsils, causing the horribly painful inflammation which results in suppuration. Quinsy is simply a development of Sore Throat to which some people are peculiarly subject. With them, a tedious or neglected Sore Throat terminates in Quinsy. With them, a quickly cured Sore Throat means Quinsy avoided and nothing else cures Sore Throat as quickly and surely as TONSILINE.

Many such letters as below prove TONSILINE'S value in preventing Quinsy.

Gentlemen.—I have been subject to Quinsy for the last fifteen years and have simply had to suffer from ten days to two weeks with it at every attack, never having been able to find a preventive, until I commenced using TONSILINE.

Up until a year ago I had had ten attacks of Quinsy, but have been able to avoid it twice since that time by the use of a 25 cent bottle of your remedy. Hoping that others similarly troubled will profit by my experience, and thanking you for what your TONSILINE has done for me, I remain, Yours very truly, D. T. KEENAN, Chief Clerk Auditor's Office, C. A. & C. Ry., Cleveland, Ohio.

Sufferers from Quinsy should always have TONSILINE ready for instant use on first sign of Sore Throat. 25c. and 50c. Hospital Size $1.00. All Druggists.

THE STAGE AND THE PLAYERS.



THE SOISSON.

"Human Hearts" Tonight.

To be transported from the strife of town to the atmosphere of the dull country, with its simple honest people pursuing their lives of affection and trust, is in itself a refreshment. To hear the singing of the birds and those other sounds with the farm, to hear and tell things that flood the memory with pleasant experience and excite the imagination to a realizing sense of the poetry of common things, is not only a relief from the cares of the day, but a renewal of the better side of nature. In the realistic melodrama "Human Hearts" the scenes which are chiefly among the hills of Arkansas, is found a power to charm that is marvelous.

"A Texas Ranger."

"A Texas Ranger," a western play that has won the esteem of the public who enjoy clean cut and truthful western life. The piece is vastly different from the ordinary western melodrama, as it is free from trashy blood and thunder situations so often resorted to. The characters are not overdrawn or exaggerated, with a vein of bright, sparkling comedy woven throughout. The surroundings are scenicly correct and in exact keeping with locality in which the scenes are laid and rightly judged by ill as artistically correct. It is edifying and exhilirating. See it next Tuesday night, Jan. 10 at the Soisson theatre.

George Sidney.

It is always a timely event when jolly George Sidney (Busy Izzy) comes our way, as he is about to do. This time he comes to us with 50 merry companions, including Miss Carrie Webber, and a new vehicle of fun, "The Jov Rider." Everything is novel and up-to-date, plenty of girls to keep the elegant costumes in motion to the rythm of the bright, catchy music and dashing song novelties.

Don't Overlook

that subscription. If you are in arrears remember that we can always find good use for

the MONEY

Nineteen Eleven

It is predicted that 1911 will be a prosperous year—business good and the cost of living greatly reduced. That means that it will be a year in which you can not only make but also save money. Why not resolve right now, at the very beginning of this year, to save something—open a Savings Account with this strong bank—add something to it regularly every week or month.

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Steamship Tickets—Winter Tours Arranged—Cabins and Berths Reserved.

DO YOU GET MAD WHEN YOU ARE FORCED TO PAY A BILL THE SECOND TIME?

Isn't it exasperating when you think the bill had been paid? Had you paid the bill with a bank check you could know the bill had been paid and prove it. Every cancelled check is eventually returned to the maker and may be retained for future reference.

Bills paid by check remain paid.

4% Compound Interest on Savings Accounts.

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Established 1871. 118 W. Main Street.

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weekly for five years with interest at 4% compounded semi-annually added.

Do you know what it would amount to?

If deposited in your name you would have just $575.28 and there's many a young man and woman in Connellsville working on a salary who could easily deposit $2 weekly.

Are you one of them?

Union National Bank, West Side, Connellsville, Pa.

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The Oldest Savings Bank in Fayette County.

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The SKY-MAN

HENRY KITCHELL WEBSTER
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CHAPTER VIII.

Apparitions.

Roscoe did not pause to investigate the effect of his blow, nor to waste a second one. If the man who had confronted him there in the companionway was dead, so much the better. If he were only half-dead, the job could be finished at any time. He was out of the way for the present at least. Roscoe hurried on, searching staterooms and passageways and finally the crew's quarters, forward.

When he had satisfied himself that he and his men were in undisputed possession of the yacht, he emerged on deck again by the forward hatchway, and found Captain Planck already there. He directed him to go below with Schwartz, who had been engineer aboard the whaler, and get steam up as promptly as possible. He himself remained on deck, directing the unloading and stowage of those precious golden slabs that the rest of the party were bring out in boats from the shore.

"We've got it all, Roscoe, unless you want them barrels of whale oil," a man in the last boat sang out as they came alongside.

"We'll leave them to pay for this nickel-plated ship," Roscoe answered. "Come! Look alive and get aboard. We'll be ready to start as soon as we can get a little daylight."

He looked them over, numbered them as if they had been so many sheep, noted that they were all here, except poor Miguel; Planck and Schwartz were down toiling at the boilers.

"Stay here till I come back," he commanded. "I'm going below to see that everything's stowed all right. When I come back I want to talk to you."

He disappeared down the after hatchway, switched on a light and indulged in a long, satisfied look at the great masses of precious metal which were stacked, according to his directions, in the strongroom.

His purpose in coming down here was threefold. He meant to see that the gold was stored correctly and he meant to lock the room up, so that its precious contents would not be tampered with, and bring the key away with him. He was not afraid that any of his crew would try to steal it, but he thought the moral effect of having it locked away where it was inaccessible to them, and of his keeping the keyin his own possession, would be a help in maintaining his prestige as commander. They knew the sea better than he did, just as he knew the nature of gold-bearing rock. It was necessary to do something to bolster up his position as chief of the party and keep it above dispute. He did not want to have to kill any of them yet. The Aurora would be short-handed enough as it was.

But there was one more reason for that hurried trip to the strongroom. He wanted to be sure that a certain rosewood box had come aboard along with the treasure and what few stores they were taking away with them.

That little box had occupied much of his leisure since the day when he had murdered the owner of it. He had sometimes wished that when it came into his hands that day he had yielded to his first impulse to shatter it, for the thing had always mocked him—coquetted with him.

He had often seen it lying open on Captain Fielding's table in the tiny walled-off cubby hole of a room they called the captain's cabin, while the captain himself was writing up his journal or working upon his charts. He had, during that first winter, frequently thought of trying to open it, should the opportunity offer itself.

After the murder, when he took that little room for his own quarters, he found the box and preserved it with the idea that now, at least, he would get the better of it. He knew what its contents were well enough—Captain Fielding's charts and journal, and he had no curiosity concerning them. But the secret mechanism of the box itself tantalized him, and he meant some day to solve it. Once he had done so, he would kick the thing to pieces and destroy its contents.

That was all there was to it at first, but during the next winter, when the long night kept them prisoners in their narrow quarters, the mystery of that little rosewood box took on an added importance to him and to the others, out of all proportion to any effect which the solution of it could have. One by one, with the exception of the Portuguese, they tried. Hour after hour they labored with it, and invariably they failed.

The rest of them gave it up, and their admitted defeat gave Roscoe another incentive for solving the thing himself, for he meant to leave no stone unturned to convince them that they were fools and weaklings; that he, Roscoe, was the only man among them. Such a conviction was necessary to his leadership.

It was toward the end of that winter that the Portuguese made a suggestion destined to bear fruit. "It's a curse that has sealed up that box," he said. "You can't open it, and if you break it, the curse will kill you."

He evidently believed implicitly in this theory, for no persuasion could induce him to touch the box himself. Gradually the others had shown, by little involuntary acts, shrinkings and glances, that Miguel's belief was infecting them. Sometimes, after a long succession of sleepless, lightless days, Roscoe found himself believing it, too,



Indulged in a Long, Satisfied Look.

and regarding that little box as the sealed-up casket of the murder he had done upon the owner of it. The crime was there inside.

To overcome that feeling, he had worked all the harder trying to solve its secret.

His interest, now, however, in making sure that the box had really been brought aboard the Aurora was not superstitious, but wholly practical. They were leaving most of their stores behind them, as there was no time either to transport them to the Aurora or to destroy them. With these stores and with the shelter afforded by the hut and the little clump of surrounding out-buildings, it was probable that some members of the Aurora's party, at least, would survive the winter. If a relief ship should arrive the next summer, or even the summer thereafter, it would probably find some one on this desolate shore who could tell the story of the disappearance of the Aurora and form a more or less definite surmise as to the cause of it. That rosewood box had Captain Fielding's journal in it—a journal that had been written up to the very morning when Roscoe had murdered him. Its discovery would go a long way toward bridging the gap which Roscoe meant to leave in their departing trail. In short, if that rosewood box were left behind, Roscoe would always feel that he was in more or less danger of detection. And he didn't mean to have a thing like that hanging over him.

Consequently, when he discovered that the box was not on board, and that his particular injunctions concerning it had been either neglected or disobeyed, he came raging up on deck again, a most formidable figure, which caused his companions, hardened ruffians though they were, to cower and shrink away from him.

In a torrent of furious blasphemy, he demanded to know why that box had not been brought aboard; and the concentrated lees of his rage he emptied at last upon the two men whom he had ordered to do it.

"Now," he concluded, when the torrent had spent itself, "you go ashore, you two. Yes, you, Carlsen—I mean you—and you, Rose; go ashore now and get it."

Then, after a momentary silence, he raged out the command again, amid a foul flood of abuse.

But still they made no move to obey, and the big Swede, in evident terror, answered him. "I won't get it, Roscoe. If you want that box, you can get it yourself."

"What in hell do you mean?" the leader stormed. But his voice, even as he spoke, lost its confident tang of authority.

"You tell him," said Carlsen, nodding to his companion, Rose. Evidently it was Rose who had told the story to the other members of the party. He was a squatly built man with a stubborn jaw, and Planck, in the days of his command, had always disliked him as that most undesirable pest that can be found in a forecastle—a sea lawyer.

"What did you leave the box in the hut for?" he demanded. "He might not have come back if you had left it in the cave."

"Come back!" echoed Roscoe, with a growl.

"That's what I said. We went to the hut to get it, and there was a light inside, and there he sat, just like he used to. And he had the box open—"

"He! Who do you mean?" There was no trace of truculence in Roscoe's voice now. He spoke as though his throat was dry.

"It was Captain Fielding; him to the life. And, yet, it was different from the way he used to be. We couldn't see it very well. Its face was sideways and the light was behind it, and it looked smaller and thinner—more—more like a woman. (If Rose had had the word 'spiritual' in his vocabulary, he would have used it. In default of it, he gave up trying to express just what he meant.) Anyway, there he sat with the box open beside him, and that red book of his open on his knees. Go back for it? Well, I guess not."

There was a momentary silence after he had finished, and Roscoe could feel it, as it stretched itself out to the length of half a minute or so, the chill of their terror enveloping him. To throw it off, he blustered, stormed at and abused them for a pack of liars. But in the end he sprang down into one of the boats, and said he would fetch the box himself. Whether he believed their story, or not, it was the only thing for him to do.

As he pulled shoreward he tried hard to convince himself that he did not believe it; that Rose and Carlson had probably forgotten all about the box, and had trumped up the story to avoid the necessity of going back for it.

He beached his boat, scrambled ashore and set out walking doggedly along in the direction of the hut. The fog was still all but impenetrable, even to his practised vision, but he knew the shore like the palm of his hand, and he trudged on without a pause, until he was within ten paces, perhaps, of his destination.

But there he faltered and stopped, turned about, under an irresistible impulse of fear, and would have fled had not sheer necessity compelled him to stop again. There was a light, a diffused yellow glow, faint but unmistakable, shining out of the windows of the hut.

He knew he could not go back to the Aurora without that box; it was necessary both to his future safety and his present command of the situation. His one hold upon those sullen followers of his depended upon his being impervious alike to terror and to defeat. If he were to go back now without accomplishing his purpose, it would only be a question of days before they murdered him. They all hated him, enough for that, he knew.

Yet, even under that necessity, it was three or four minutes before, at the command of his burly will, he began creeping forward on hands and knees toward the lighted window of the hut.

And when he reached a point where he could command its interior, his knees slipped out from under him and he lay prone upon the icy beach, his face buried in his outstretched arms. For those two sailors had told the truth.

Presently he drew himself up and squatted back on his haunches, staring. Human or not, the figure there in the hut seemed unaware of his presence. It was staring at the expiring flame of the candle in profound abstraction. When it stirred, as presently it did, it was with a natural, human motion. And then the candle went out.

In the few seconds of silence which followed, his terror returned upon him with full force. But it went away as suddenly as it had come, and with its recession there surged up in him a wave of brutish anger. It was no ghost that had sat in contemplation over the contents of that box, for it was moving now, with human footsteps—faltering, uncertain footsteps, at that. And when it appeared, just visible and no more, outside the doorway, it called aloud in a human voice—a woman's voice.

At the sound of it, he drew himself up, towering, before her, and, so, became visible to her—a monstrous, blurred, uncertain shape.

And she cried out; this time in terror. Then, before he could spring upon her and kill her with his hands, as his brutish instinct of rage urged him to do, he started back suddenly, and himself cried out!

For a faint circle of light, waving, wandering, unearthly, was shining straight down upon both of them through the fog—out of the sky itself.

Looking up, he saw overhead a single, great luminous eye, and in the reflection of its own light upon the ice, very faintly, the fabric of outstretched wings.

Then from up there, overhead, he heard a voice—a quiet voice, "I'm here," it said. "Don't be afraid."

Blindly, Roscoe flung up his hands, whirled around and fell; scrambled to



Then From Up There Overhead He Heard a Voice.

his feet again and fled, like a man hag-ridden, down the shore.

As he did so, he heard a rugged volley of shots from the direction of the Aurora. This sound of plain human fighting, which he understood and did not fear, helped restore to equilibrium his mind, which a moment before had been tottering to absolute destruction. Once he could get back to his boat and feel the oars under his hands again—once he found himself pulling out toward the yacht, no matter how desperate the odds awaiting him there might be against him, he would, he felt, be himself once more.

He ran on and on down the beach. He had not passed his boat, he knew; but he finally realized that he had passed the place where he had brought the boat ashore.

(To be Continued.)

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The Most Severe Cold and Grippe Misery Will Be Relieved in Just a Few Hours.

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Speculating on Corey's Successor

Not until the meeting of the directors of the United States Steel Corporation on January 25 will the definite result of the resignation of William H. Corey as president become positively known. This is the opinion given by leading steel men of Pittsburg, who, however, look for some change in the general organization of the organization.

Taking Chairman E. H. Gary's statement at its face value, it is believed that there will be no hurried attempt to fill the office of president of the corporation, and, when it is filled, it will not be by a man so much versed in the operating end of the steel business as one who is familiar more with the commercial and financial ends.

It is maintained that the present heads of subsidiary companies had been perfectly capable of handling their own branches of the steel business and needed no assistance other than that which would come from the executives of the corporation as they now exist.

A. C. Dinkey, President of the Carnegie Steel Company, is mentioned as a possible successor to Mr. Corey. This, however, was not considered probable in Pittsburg. The relation of President E. J. Buffington of the Illinois Steel Company with Chairman Gary, both going originally from the same company, makes his name, it was said, sound more plausible, if a new President is to be selected.

It was pointed out that when the corporation was formed, it was agreed that, for the 10 years following Andrew Carnegie should have a voice in the selection of men to handle the vast enterprises. This 10 years has passed now, and it is considered somewhat significant that at the expiration of this agreement Mr. Corey should resign. With him out, Chairman Gary is the official head of the great business, and as Mr. Gary is distinctly a J. P. Morgan man, the predominance of Morgan influence is expected to be sharply felt in the future. This influence, it is said, is not antagonistic to Andrew Carnegie.

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At the Soisson Theatre.

"A Texas Ranger," the great western play, Tuesday, January 10. Prices 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Seats now on sale. Both phones.

Wants, for rent, for sale, etc., cost only one cent a word.

Champ Clark Wants August Election, October Inauguration, Three Years for Congressmen, Six Years for President and Only One Term.



WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Radical changes in the constitution of the United States are proposed by Champ Clark of Missouri, whose election as Speaker of the Sixty-second Congress now is generally conceded. Congressmen Clark declares that he is in favor of amending the constitution to elect the President of the United States for one term of six years and make him forever ineligible for re-election. In the same statement he advocates the election of Congressmen for a term of three years, thus retaining the present ratio of two congressional terms to one presidential term. He wants the national election to be held the last Monday in August and the inauguration of the President and Vice President and the opening of the new Congress the first Monday in October. "I am in favor of the suggested change regarding the presidential term," said Mr. Clark, "because every time there is a President extraordinarily popular a lot of fools boom him for a third term. For more than 100 years it has been part of the unwritten law of the land that a President shall serve two terms and no more, and to break down that unwritten law now would be exceedingly dangerous. Therefore I am in favor now of fixing it so that it cannot be broken." The prospective Speaker's suggestions have aroused much interest among public men here.

Watch! Wait! Watch! Wait!

KOBACKER'S

The Woman's Store.

Rebuilding—Sale

Starts Wednesday, January 11th

See Tuesday's Full Page Ad.

Big Improvements at Evans Station

Evans station, north of Uniontown, is the scene of extensive improvements which will make it an even busier place than in the past. Expenditure of about $20,000 for further development is being made by the S. L. Smith Coal Company and busy operations are in progress now.

This company has already worked out about 40 acres of coal, but has 800 more acres still to be worked. This coal was purchased from the Ewings and the Evans heirs.

It will take two years more to work the coal from the old slope, but surveys have been made for a second opening, so as to have another slope ready when the coal is exhausted around the present one. Three headings have been started inside the slope. A barrier will be left between the old and new workings to avoid trouble from water.

On the average the Smith company has been shipping between $6,000 and $7,000 worth of coal per month over the B. & O. railroad, but after the new opening is made they may ship over the Pennsylvania railroad also. The company furnishes coal for the B. & O. engines, which is a big item, many engines being supplied each day.

Recently the B. & O. railroad completed the extension of the Evans siding of pratically three miles, which leaves only about 2.1 miles between Uniontown and Connellsville which is not double tracked. The B. & O. has also opened a telegraph office at Evans station.

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TABERNACLE PACKED AT GREAT SERVICE.

There Were 150 Conversions at Last Night's Meeting.

SERMON OF EVANGELIST DAVIS

Was Stirring Appeal and the Responses Were Many—Audience Remained Until the Close of the Services at 1 O'clock This Morning.

An audience that packed the tabernacle to its fullest capacity last evening witnessed some of the most thrilling scenes that have ever been connected with a religious meeting in Connellsville. A body of several hundred High School students occupied a reserved section of the tabernacle and their presence was largely responsible for the remarkable demonstration which was witnessed in the latter part of the service. At the beginning they rendered some up to-date yells that caused much good feeling without putting a damper on the spiritual results of the meeting. Evangelist Mills appointed a section of the audience standing near the entrance as an assistant choir and during the singing of 'God Will Take Care of You' by the entire audience the two choirs did some responsive singing and produced an echo-like effect. The choir caused a genuine sensation however during the singing of the hymn "Have Faith in the Word of God." Each of the choir and many of the students had a bible concealed from sight and as the last words of the chorus after the final verse were sung "I have faith in the word of God," each one suddenly held up a Bible at arms length while the audience stared with surprise. Evangelist Davis suggested that the audience give a larger offering than usual in order to meet the current expenses and the following verse was repeated

A nickle or dime instead of a penny
And our bills will be paid and our thanks will be many

"I have a better verse than that" said the pianist, Mr. Carr, who repeated the following which caused much laughter

A nickle or dime and sometimes a quarter
And our bills will be paid as fast as they porter"

The Hicks family quartette comprising grandfather, son, daughter and granddaughter sang the selection Be Thou My Guide in a pleasing manner.

Evangelist Davis preached a virile sermon in which he pictured the Hebrew children who were thrown into the fiery furnace, and Daniel, who was cast into the den of lions because he dared to pray to God contrary to the king's command. Among his utterance's he said "When they put the Hebrew children into the coil God went with them and when God goes with a man into such a place it will bring about an earthquake if necessary in order to bring them out. When you are willing to stand for God, depend upon it, God will stand for you when you are in a tight place. Daniel preferred to be true to God rather than be popular. I had rather be alone with God and be right than to be with the crowd and be in the wrong. The lions expected to make a meal out of Daniel but I imagine that Daniel made one of the lions lay down and that he used his shaggy mane for a pillow. Every time the lion moved Daniel would cuff him and say, 'there, you lay still.' I think that the reason that the lions couldn't eat Daniel was that he had so much backbone that they couldn't chew him. Daniel's enemies thought that they had the best of him but they were the ones that made the breakfast for the lions. A man who stands for God and right is bound to come out victorious sooner or later, and if you are trying to get the best of someone else you will get the worst of it sooner or later.'

At the close the evangelist gave the invitation for the unsaved to become Christians and a large number responded. Earlier in the service the evangelist made the statement that he expected a landslide before the series of meetings were over. The prophecy began to be fulfilled sooner than anyone expected. Following the invitation Mr. Davis called on the Misses Nina McFarland and Grace Lockard, two young ladies who were converted in the Scottdale meetings to address the audience. Each responded by telling how their conversion was brought about. The evangelist then invited the young people in the audience to come to the platform and the landslide began. At first they came one by one then in small groups and finally a line was formed and they flocked to the platform by the score. At one time 70 were crowded onto the speakers platform. Some were already Christians but many were not. Many of the youngest men and women and boys and girls from the High School were represented but a large number of other young people were there also. A large number confessed their sins and their purpose to renounce them and live a Christian life. One hundred and fifty or more came to the platform and some of the declarations were thrilling. A young man who is a well known quarterback on a football team said among other things: 'It has been said that I have plenty of nerve in a football game and I want to see how many here have as much nerve to come up here and line up for Christ as they show in a football game.' He then began calling the signal numbers used on his team, saying, "If I can't get a team from my old team I am going to call on the scrub team.'

The audience was stirred profoundly as they saw young men respond to the invitation given in this unique manner. From that time until the hour of closing similar scenes were enacted as some of the most influential and popular young people in town publicly avowed their purpose to live Christian lives in the future. The meeting closed at 1 o'clock A. M., and a large par. of the audience remained to hear the last word.

Three Numbers Again in 1999

Did it ever occur to you that this is the last time many of us will write three numbers alike when putting down the year. Well, it is right, unless a great change comes over the world and many live to 1999. That's only 89 years away, but in all probability few of those who are now over 10 years of age will live to hear that year welcomed in. And even if they do they will probably be so weak from the infirmities of age that they will not be able to write it, so there you are again.

A citizen remarked this week that in 1888 he had thought of the fact that 1911 would be the last time he would be able to use three numbers alike in writing the year. Twenty two years later he remembered the thought and is reminding others nowadays. It is up to those who are particularly anxious to use three numbers to work 1911 overtime.

BASKET BALL.

The Cokers Will Play South Side Five There Tonight.

Last Night's Results.
McKeesport 37, Homestead 27

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South Side	24	9	.727
McKeesport	25	10	.714
Johnstown	17	17	.500
Homestead	15	20	.429
CONNELLSVILLE	11	23	.324
Uniontown	10	27	.286

Games Tonight.
Cokers at South Side
McKeesport at Homestead
Uniontown at Johnstown

John F. Doherty arrived in town last evening over the Pennsylvania railroad from Worcester, Mass., where he was called some weeks ago by the death of his father. Doherty will get into the game tonight at South Side. With Doherty's arrival will give Lugg a rest remains to be seen. Captain Summers may decide to play his regular team on the floor for a game or two, which will give Lugg a rest. Summers team is in worse shape than most fans were aware and he needs the layoff as bad as any of the cripple.

Insult and Injury.

We are told that the invention of scissors dates back to the fourteenth century.

Just think of it! Delilah must have cut Samson's hair with a knife.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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and gently reared, women will find in all the seasons of their lives, as maidens, wives and mothers, that the one simple, wholesome laxative remedy, which acts gently and pleasantly and naturally, and which may be taken at any time, when the system needs a laxative, with perfect safety and really beneficial effects, is Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna.

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FAYETTE COUNTY COURT RECORDS.

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Seats now on sale at theatre Both phones.

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ONE NIGHT.
Tuesday, Jan. 10

The Western Military Drama.

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Adapted from Powell's History of Texas.

A thrilling play of real life bubbling with Comedy, Truth and Reason.

Special Scenic Features.

The Battle of Fort San Carlos.

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The Sale of Women's Suits at 1-3 Off for Black and 1-2 Off for All Others is the Feature Today

The January Clearance Sale Begins Wednesday the 11th and Will Occupy First Place for 10 Days.



Watch the Newspapers for Further Details. Let Your Interest Bring You In.

Plenty of Bargains Today to Make a Trip Worth Your While.

Wright-Metzler Co.

Ten Conversations at Once On One Wire of Telephone Invented by Army Officer.



WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—It is said that ten conversations at the same time on the same wire may be held by the use of a system of multiplex telephony upon which Major George Squier of the Signal Corps of the Army has just taken out patents. Major Squier announces that he dedicates his invention to the people of the United States, so that any one can use it free of all royalty or rent cost. The theory of this momentous discovery in electrical science is that the vibrations of the ether surrounding the wire become the vehicle by which conversation is held, not by the wire, as in ordinary telephony. The instruments to be employed are those now commonly used in ordinary wireless telephony and may be bought of almost any electrical supply establishment. There is, as in in wireless telephony, a use of "tunes" for each conversation. Major Squier three months ago began his test, over a system of wires belonging to the Potomac Telephone Company running between the construction laboratory of the signal corps, located in a building on Pennsylvania avenue and one of the laboratory buildings of the bureau of standards, where the signal corps has a laboratory. Experiments were made with many sets of apparatus until a trial was made of the ordinary wireless equipment and successful demonstration of the discovery was attained. Major Squier believes that general use will soon be made of his discovery by private individuals and by telephone companies. He expects that one result will be a general reduction of the cost of telephone service and possibly its more wisely distributed use. The machine is regarded as of special value for long distances. It gives a clear and audible tone and will probably be first applied in that direction. Major Squier is a Michigan man, having been graduated from West Point in 1887.

BASKETBALL

WEST SIDE AUDITORIUM

MONDAY, Jan. 9, 8:45 P. M.

Connellsville vs. Homestead

PRICES—25c, 35c, 50c. Reserved seats at Graham's Drug Store at 1 P. M. Day Before Game.

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Interesting Story of Consultation with Dermatologist and Successful Use of Cuticura. Also Case of Severe Ivy Poisoning, Relief of Which by Cuticura was Permanent.

"Nine years ago I noticed a bald spot coming on my head and, as I was only nineteen years old, it did not seem natural, as it was on the side of my head instead of on top. My mother advised my seeing a dermatologist and I did so one of the best in Boston, and he said it was due to a germ I must have got at the barber's. He couldn't assure a cure, but by treating each hair separately by electricity he said, the hair might come out white or gray, if it came out at all. He proposed giving me a treatment every month for six months at ten dollars a treatment. When I told my mother she advised using Cuticura and this I did, using Cuticura Soap and Ointment every day. In two months my hair commenced to grow, and in six months one would never have known there had been any trouble the hair coming out being black, the exact shade of my own. I have never had any trouble since, and feel I can't say half enough for Cuticura.

"Another member of our family was terribly poisoned by poison ivy and every summer for six years the blisters came, bursting and causing great suffering. We tried everything recommended by the best physicians, but with no good result. Finally we tried Cuticura and obtained relief in a very short time which was permanent. She has never had any trouble since, so Cuticura is invaluable to us, you see. G. J. Browne, 1 Remington St., Dorchester, Mass., Jan. 20 1910.

This letter is but one of hundreds giving proof of the success of the Cuticura Remedies in treating the skin and scalp. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp. Sole Props., Boston.

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